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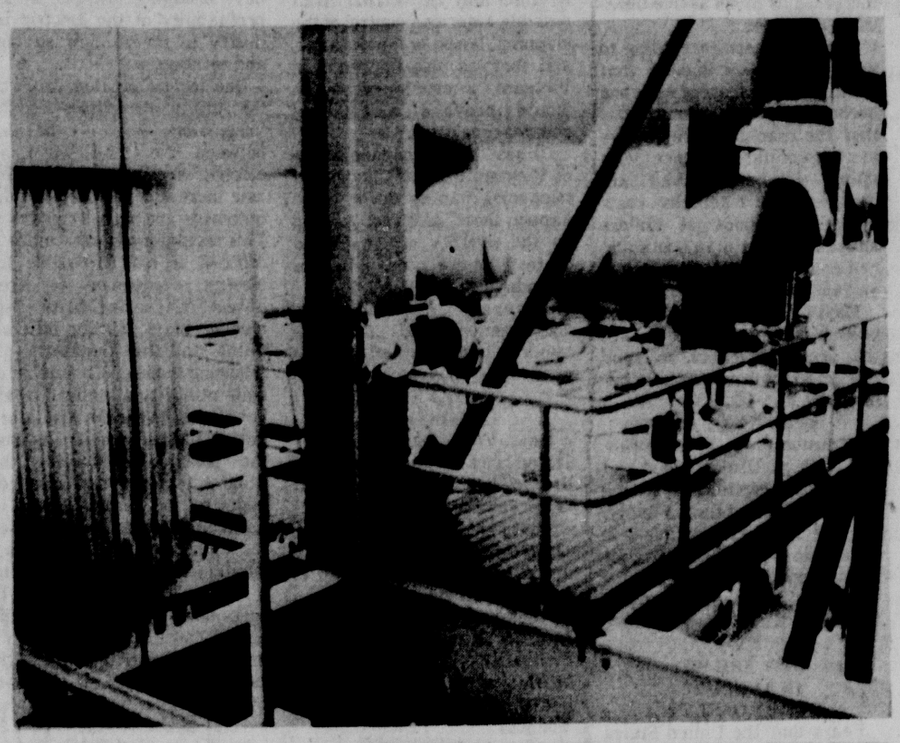

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Teresa Marie Scherer, 20, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dempsey Gardner of Sikeston route Three was selected as first runner-up.

Miss Nunnelee is a 1975 graduate of the University of Missouri in Columbia where she received a degree in home economics. She is now teaching in Montgomery City.

The queen will represent the Missouri Soybean Association and serve as hostess at the American Soybean Association meeting at the Crown Center in Kansas City Aug. 8-11.

She will also compete for the American Princess Soya title. The winner will become ambasador for the American Soybean Association from August of 1976 until August of 1977, traveling throughout the soybean growing area.

Miss Scherer is a second semester sophomore in accounting at the University of Missouri. She is minoring in business.

Each contestant gave a short talk Monday night to an audience of directors and wives of the Missouri Soybean Association, telling how they were qualified to serve as Missouri Princess soya. They were judged on their knowledge of soybeans, current events, poise and personality.

The three judges were Karen Johnson of St. Joseph, a farmer's wife who has attended national conventions and has a knowledge of how contestants are judged nationally; Dr. Jo Edmondson, professor of food science and nutrition at the university; and John L. Sanders, division director of the Missouri Department of Agriculture in Jefferson City.

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It's inside....

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The Charleston Bluejays pull out overtime win over the fired-up Perryville Pirates. For sports news, turn to ... pages 1B and 2B.

....and outside

Occasional light rain or thundershowers tonight, changing briefly to light snow before ending and turning colder tonight. Partly cloudy and colder Friday. Winds tonight and Friday northerly 6-12 m.p.h. Low tonight in low 20s, high Friday near 30. Precipitation probabilities 80 per cent tonight and 10 per cent Friday.

EXTENDED FORECAST

Cold Saturday with a warming trend Sunday and Monday; chance for rain or snow Saturday night through Sunday; highs will range from the upper 30s Saturday to around 50 by Monday and lows will be from around 20 Saturday to the mid 30s by Monday.

HIGH AND LOW

High and low temperatures for the 24- hour period ending at 7 a.m. today were 35 and 32 degrees. A trace of rain was recorded.

Sunset today ..... 5:27 p.m.
Sunrise tomorrow ... 6:38 a.m.
The moon is at apogee today and
sets tomorrow ..... 10:49 p.m.
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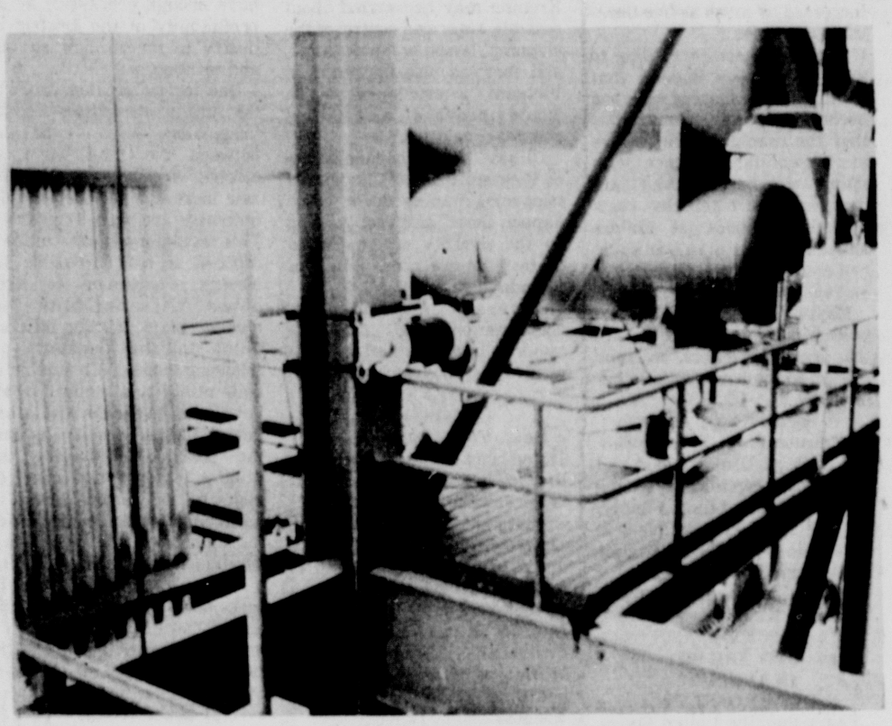

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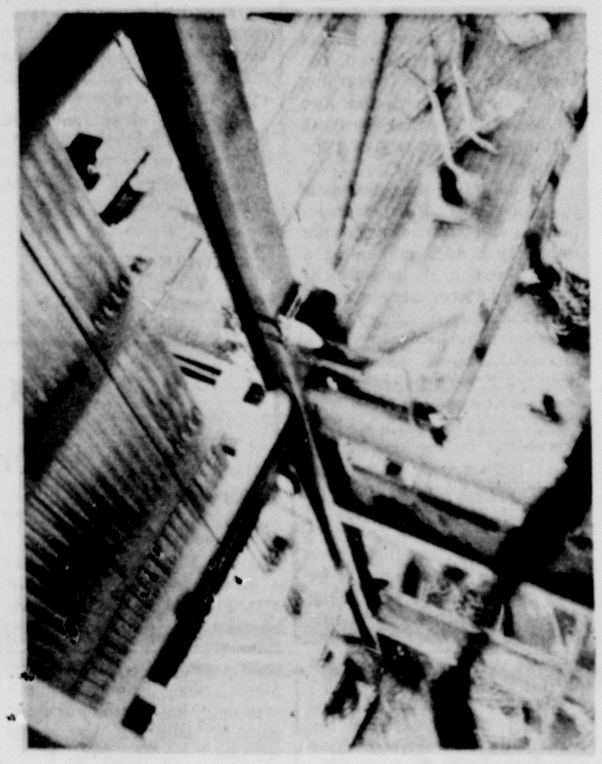

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Hoffman is married and has two children.

Miranda gained military police experience during 20 years in the Marines.

He recently retired from the service and moved to Dexter. His wife is a native of Dexter.

Sikeston girl is Princess Soya

COLUMBIA — Priscilla Jane Nunnelee, 22, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. "Gene" Nunnelee, 215 Kramer Drive in Sikeston, was selected Missouri Princess Soya from a field of five finalists tuesday at the annual meeting of the Missouri Soybean Association in Columbia.

Teresa Marie Scherer, 20, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dempsey Gardner of Sikeston route Three was selected as first runner-up.

Miss Nunnelee is a 1975 graduate of the University of Missouri in Columbia where she received a degree in home economics. She is now teaching in Montgomery City.

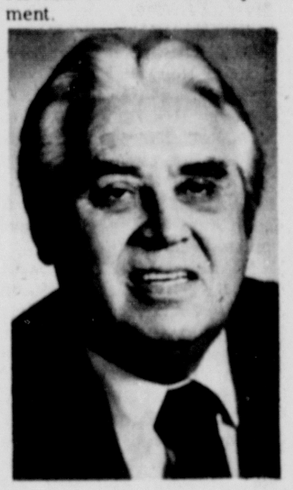
The queen will represent the Missouri Soybean Association and serve as hostess at the American Soybean Association meeting at the Crown Center in Kansas City Aug. 8-11.

She will also compete for the American Princess Soya title. The winner will become ambasador for the American Soybean Association from August of 1976 until August of 1977, traveling throughout the soybean growing area.

Miss Scherer is a second semester sophomore in accounting at the University of Missouri. She is minoring in business.

Each contestant gave a short talk Monday night to an audience of directors and wives of the Missouri Soybean Association, telling how they were qualified to serve as Missouri Princess soya. They were judged on their knowledge of soybeans, current events, poise and personality.

The three judges were Karen Johnson of St. Joseph, a farmer's wife who has attended national conventions and has a knowledge of how contestants are judged nationally; Dr. Jo Edmondson, professor of food science and nutrition at the university; and John L. Sanders, division director of the Missouri Department of Agriculture in Jefferson City.



John Dennis

Dinner to honor sheriff

A committee of Scott Countians has announced plans for an appreciation dinner for Sheriff John Dennis, who is beginning his 24th consecutive year in office.

The committee chairman is Sikeston businessman William W. Bess, who said the dinner is set for Feb. 20 at the Ramada Inn, Highway 62 East. Bess also announced that Frank Ferrell, former mayor of Sikeston and one-time deputy sheriff for Dennis, will head ticket sales for the event.

Sam Harbin, superintendent of the Sikeston R-6 School District, will serve as master of ceremonies. Bess said the guest speakers for the event will be announced later.

Tickets will include admission to a cocktail party prior to the dinner.

Police to check for stickers

Within the next week roadblocks will be put up by police to check Sikeston motorists for city auto stickers, Chief Leon Culp said today.

Stickers must be bought for cars, motorcycles and trucks that are parked overnight within the city limits.

Stickers should have been bought by Jan. 1, but due to the bad weather, police have given residents a grace period, Culp said.

Motorists caught without stickers when the roadblocks are set up will receive a summons to appear in City Court. No warning tickets will be issued, Culp said.

It's inside....

Scott County leadership for the 1976 Heart Fund campaign have been selected. Turn to ... page 3A.

For the second section of a four-part series about people who change their lifestyles, turn to ... page 4A.

The Charleston Bluejays pull out overtime win over the fired-up Perryville Pirates. For sports news, turn to ... pages 1B and 2B.

....and outside

Occasional light rain or thundershowers tonight, changing briefly to light snow before ending and turning colder tonight. Partly cloudy and colder Friday. Winds tonight and Friday northerly 6-12 m.p.h. Low tonight in low 20s, high Friday near 30. Precipitation probabilities 80 per cent tonight and 10 per cent Friday.

EXTENDED FORECAST

Cold Saturday with a warming trend Sunday and Monday; chance for rain or snow Saturday night through Sunday; highs will range from the upper 30s Saturday to around 50 by Monday and lows will be from around 20 Saturday to the mid 30s by Monday.

HIGH AND LOW

High and low temperatures for the 24- hour period ending at 7 a.m. today were 35 and 32 degrees. A trace of rain was recorded.

Sunset today ..... 5:27 p.m.
Sunrise tomorrow ... 6:38 a.m.
The moon is at apogee today and
sets tomorrow ..... 10:49 p.m.
The planet Jupiter is the bright "star" appearing near the moon tonight. Jupiteer is now about 494 million miles from the Earth and its light takes about 45 minutes to reach us tonight.

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FEBRUARY 6—
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ASDA INTERNATIONAL PHILATELIC FAIR. Feb 6-8. Chicago. Info from: American Stamp Dealers Assoc, Inc, 595 Madison Ave, New York, NY 10022.

BURR, AARON: BIRTHDAY. Feb 6. Third vice-president of the U.S. (1801-1805), born Newark, NJ, Feb 6, 1756. Died, Staten Island, NY, Sept 14, 1836.

EDISON PAGEANT OF LIGHT. Feb 6-14. Purpose: A living memorial to Thomas A. Edison, who maintained his winter home and laboratory here for almost 50 years. Celebration is climaxed by glittering nighttime Grand Parade of Light. Info from: Margie B. Willis, Box 1311. Fort Myers, FL 33902.

HELSINKI INTERNATIONAL BOAT SHOW. Feb 6-15. Helsinki, Finland.

INTERNATIONAL PEE-WEE HOCKEY TOURNAMENT. Feb 6-14. Coliseum, Quebec, Que, Canada.

MASSACHUSETTS: RATIFICATION DAY. Feb 6. Sixth State to ratify constitution, on this day in 1788.

MIAMI BEACH FESTIVAL OF THE ARTS. Feb 6-8. Miami Beach Convention Ctr. Info from: Miami Beach Tourist Dev Authority, 555 17th St, Miami Beach, FL 33139.

MID-WINTER'S DAY. Feb 6. Purpose: Create euphoria by fiat in celebration that winter is half over. Sponsor: Broadway Fun Spot, 1324 Broadway, Ann Arbor, MI 48105.

NEW ZEALAND: WAITANGI DAY. Feb 6. Commemorates signing of treaty, 1840, between Maori and European peoples for development of New Zealand under British Crown.

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ADDING TO INTERNATIONAL COMPANIES' TAX BURDENS WILL DESTROY U.S. JOBS

U.S. firms doing business across national boundaries are accused of creating unemployment, ruining our balance of payments and evading their fair share of taxes. But the evidence shows exactly the reverse is true.

According to Robert C. Brown, writing in Tax Foundation's Tax Review for October, the international corporations create new domestic jobs and pay high salaries. Far from endangering the world economy, they promote an international division of labor, world-wide trade, and the peace and tranquility that always accompany economic cooperation.

Efforts to close "loopholes" and impose punitive taxes against such U.S. "multinational" companies will succeed only in destroying American jobs and in placing our companies at an unfair competitive disadvantage relative to their foreign rivals, Mr. Brown believes.

In addition, such tax "reforms" would cut our exports.

Replying to the charge the international corporations "export jobs," Bob Brown points out that U.S. companies that invest abroad are the strongest part of our economy. Domestic U.S. employment in these firms has been increasing while employment in other U.S. manufacturing companies has been decreasing. Not only that but their wages have been increasing faster than those in other companies.

There are other serious flaws in such charges, he adds.

"Very little of the foreign production undertaken by subsidiaries of U.S. corporatoins would have been possible to launch domestically." They'd have had to surmount foreign tariff barriers, import controls and transportation costs.

"Any attempt to throttle the U.S. firm in the hope of shifting jobs to our country, is doomed to failure," says the Tax Foundation's executive director.

There are even more compelling considerations. The international firms are the unequaled masters of creating the most productive employment the world has ever known, Mr. Borwn states. It is productive employment we are after.

"The goal of economic policy is not simply an increase in employment per se. If it were, we could reach it overnight by merely dismantling the railroad tracks between Chicago and New York and hiring workers to carry the usual load of freight on their backs. This would keep us 'fully employed' (and impoverished) for the next 10,000 years."

A related complaint is that the internationals "take advantage" of cheap labor. But employment by U.S. firms in low wage areas of the world is less than one fourth of the total and is declining.

Results of "reform"

In his article, "U.S. International Firms Create Jobs, Goods, Profits, Tax Revenues," Mr. Brown attacks recent proposals to "reform" Federal tax laws by accelerating taxes on the income of foreign subsidiaries and eliminating the credit allowed for foreign income taxes. Such proposals would have these results:

1. They could involve the taxation of reinvested foreign profits that for various reasons might never be received by the American shareowners.

2. They would undoubtedly lead to tax retaliation leaving us worse off than before.

3. They would increase the tax burden of the U.S. corporations putting them at a competitive disadvantage relative to their foreign- owned rivals. As a result, foreign earnings and dividends brought back to the U.S. would fall as foreign markets were relinquished to foreign concerns. Exports of U.S. goods, made by American workers, would also decrease, and our balance of payments position would suffer.

Bob Brown terms such policies "misconceived and-myopic." Foreign governments follow one of two courses in this regard, he points out. They either allow credits for foreign taxes paid, or they do not tax foreign- source income at all. France and the Netherlands follow the latter course; all other nations follow the former.

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Flattery is the art of telling a person exactly what he thinks of himself.

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QUOTES FROM ALL OVER ...

"One way to close this 'capital gap' is to earn more dollars of profit that can be reinvested and, at the same time will increase our ability to borrow capital."

But better tax laws are needed — laws that will encourage people to save and businesses to invest their profits..." — Edgar B. Speer, Chairman, U.S. Steel News.

"The idea that the Federal government should impose a tight straight jacket on itself in the face of the most serious unemployment is absolutely ridiculous ..." George Meany at the ILA convention ...

...and More Quotes

People in the rural West believe that "Washington is a steering wheel that's not connected to the engine." — Stanley N. Wellborn in U.S. News & World Report.

"Inability to understand the role of profits or the functioning of the free market system partly explains the punitive atmosphere in the present Congress. The attitude of an alarming number of Congressmen ... is that the free enterprise system is an outmoded 19th century institution." — Alton box board Co. Letter to stockholders.

Price and wage control policies' contribution to economic stability is extremely modest at best and quite possibly negative. They were attempts to cure the symptoms ... "Greater promise likes in a direct attack on the disease ... insufficient price flexibility because of excessive regulation and constraints on competition ..." Hendrik S. Houthakker, Harvard ....

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Does that Guinness book have an entry for the most price stickers pasted over each other on canned goods?

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Try to think of something cheerful, like how by not having a thoroughbred horse you don't have to pay $700 a month to an exercise boy.

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WRONG APPROACH

The nation's retailers, like all other businesses and industries, have shown their willingness to comply with energy conservation measures. But they oppose highly- detailed regulation that would cripple business operations. Store hours, for example, should not be mandated at any level of government, nor should detailed regulations be written governing such matters as store lighting.

An illustration of the difficulties involved in such miniscule decrees is found in a Federal Energy Office proposal to reduce the degree of light intensity in store selling areas. The problem is that the amount of light produced by fluorescent tubes deteriorates by 20 per cent over a normal 18- month cycle. Turning out alternate light fixtures causes uneven lighting. This uneveness makes it virtually impossible to get a precise average reading for light intensity over an entire selling area. The placement of fixtures, even with alternate fixtures turned off makes this impossible. The plus or minus factor could be as high as 50 per cent.

The government should set a goal for energy use or energy saving. Business should be permitted maximum flexibility in deciding how to meet that goal. All of this may sound like a picayune matter to the public but, as retailers point out, the one thing that must be maintained is production of civilian goods in this inflationary era. However, the goods produced in factories and on farms have no vlaue until they are made available locally to consumers. It is retailing's responsibility to efficiently distribute, promote and sell what is produced.

Retailers will play an increasingly important part in supporting the nation's economy as energy adjustments are made. Swamping them in a maze of petty regulations kills efficiency and effective energy conservation.

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GETTING DOWN TO BICENTENNIAL BASICS
By Don Oakley

Since his appointment in 1974 as head of the American Revolution Bicentennial Administration, John Warner has traveled more than a quarter-million miles, crisscrossing these not-so-United States.

You might think that urging Americans to look back across their first 200 years to rediscover the nation's strengths of spirit and wisdom would be an easy task, says Warner, a former secretary of the Navy. "It is not always."

He freely admits there are dissenting views on the Bicentennial. Many blacks and American Indians, for example, complain that they haven't much to celebrate.

To them, Warner replies, "O.K. Use the Bicentennial to point up to the whole country your problems and needs. America is strong enough to look at its sometimes gray past."

Then there are complaints that the Bicentennial celebration is being turned into a "Buy-centennial Sell-ebration" because of a flood of shoddy souvenirs aimed at cashing in on patriotic fervor.

But only a part of this outpouring of memorabilia is officially sanctioned by the American Revolution Bicentennial Commission in Washington, in return for royalties that will be used to help sponsor 1976 festivities.

As established by Congress, Warner points out, the ARBA has no power to tell anyone what to do. It can only advise and help state and local Bicentennial commissions in planning their observances.

The freedoms won two centuries ago included not only freedom of speech but freedom of taste, he reminds us.

On a more encouraging note, he also reports that "what strikes me most as I move around the country is the great enthusiasm of citizens from every walk of life for activities that say, 'You bet, I'm proud to be an American.'"

So far, the ARBA's computer that keeps track of what Americans are doing or planning in observance of the nation's 200th birthday has recorded more than 30,000 activities, with an unknown number yet to be reported.

"The year 1976 will be a benchmark for generations," says Warner, "a point in time when America stood amid massed flags and exploding fireworks to look both backwards and forwards at what America is and should be.

"Not everyone can afford gold or silver medallions. But I'm sure most Americans will want something that says, 'Yes, I was there then. And what we say and thought and did will become part of the heritage the nation will celebrate at the Tricentennial."

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RECORD A LETTER...

America is becoming a nation of dictators.

Shocking but true, if the growth of the dictating equipment industry is anything to go by.

Interestingly enough, the recession has had a lot to do with it. As businesses strove to trim costs and increase productivity, dictating equipment displaced many ubiquitous Gal Fridays in the offices, plants and factories. Studies have shown that the volume of letters and reports generated by executives can be increased as much as five times using machines.

Another reason, according to the head of a company that claims a lion's share of what has become a $200-million market, is that the machines are always there. Secretaril absence, with steno symbols locked undeciphered in notebooks, costs business millions of dollars annually in lost man hours and reduced productivity, says Sartain Lanier.

Maybe so, but they haven't built a dictating machine yet that can remember to send flowers to the boss's wife on her birthday.

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A customer in a restaurant had been particularly loud and obnoxious, continually giving the waiter a hard time. Finally, he said loudly, "What do you have to do to get a glass of water in this dump?"

"Set yourself on fire," replied the man at the next table.

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WHY ARE WE IN ANGOLA?
By DON OAKLEY

Fears that the United States could get intself into another Vietnam type mess in Angola may be a bit overdrawn, but there are enough disturbing similarities between the two situations to warrant the close scrutiny Congress is giving the matter.

For one thing, it again seems to be a case of a few high officials and advisors in the executive branch perceiving a direct threat to the interests of the United States in the prospect of a Communist victory in a power struggle being waged in a former European colony—this time not French Indochina but Portuguese Angola.

And again, apparently proceeding on the assumption that neither the American people nor Congress can be trusted to grasp the realities of world politics, these few men have decided on their own initiative to do what has to be done by clandestinely funneling some $50 million to anti-Communist factions in Angola through the governments of Zaire and Zambia.

The difference this time is that they got caught early in the game and people started asking questions.

And just as we were warned of all kinds of dire consequences if the United States "lost" Vietnam, we are warned of terrible things that will happen if the Communists take over in Angola. It would give the Soviet Union control of the shipping lanes from the Persian Gulf to New York and a jumping off point for invasion of Brazil, says Daniel P. Moynihan, our ambassador to the U.N.

But horrific possibilities like this would seem to demand a rather more strenuous U.S. response than a measly $50 million slipped under the table, as it were. Maybe even a sharp remonstrance to the Soviet Union—though nothing so sharp as to impair detente, of course. Certainly nothing so severe as threatening to cut off their grain if they don't stop meedling in Angola. Heavens, no.

One suspects, however, that there may be certain other similarities between Angola and Vietnam.

It is possible, for instance, that the situation in the former, as it was in the latter, may be a little more complex than simply the embattled lovers of democratic freedom waging a valiant fight against the ruthless running dogs of Soviet imperialism.

There is also evidence that, as was the case in Vietnam, the escalation of Soviet arms aid to the pro-Communists in Angola is in part a response to prior U.S. aid to the anti-Communists (the Kremlin may be worried about possible American control of the shipping lanes or something), and that, as also happened in Vietnam, a counter-escalation would provoke a counter-counter-escalation.

Or have we learned the lesson of Vietnam too well? Is what is happening in Angola, or could happen there, of direct bearing on the security of the United States? Do we need a Bay of Luanda Resolution?

Several hundred congressmen, and a couple hundred million Americans are waiting to be convinced.

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LESS IS MORE

New York City and Long Island bricklayers have decided that an hour's work at $7.49 is better than no work at $9.99.

That much a cut in hourly pay, plus reductions in overtime pay and fringe benefits totalling 40 per cent, has been agreed upon by members of the International Union of Bricklayers and Allied Craftsmen in the hope of stimulating the depressed residential construction business.

"They had no work," says a contractor. "They realized the cost of the product was too high and the only way they could reduce it was to reduce wages."

This kind of attitude could spread. It might even get as far as Detroit, where the cost of new cars keeps going up whether sales are good or bad.

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THREATENING A VITAL SERVICE

Just because investor- owned electric companies are subject to public regulation in no way sets them apart from companies in other industries that must earn adequate profits to live -- and to serve their customers. Electric companies are a case where regulation and taxation pose a threat to the future of a vital service. Rising energy demands require astronomical power company investments in new plants and facilities. If the money for this investment is to be available, millions of individuals and institutions must have enough confidence in the profitability of the electric industry to invest their savings and earnings in it.

One serious problem faced by the utility companies is the "regulatory lag" – the gap between the time when an electric company applies for rate increases and the time the increases are actually granted. This regulatory lag has made it difficult if not impossible for electric companies to keep abreast of soaring costs – including taxes. Utility officials point to the necessity of following the lead of a number of state utility commissions which have acted to end the regulatory lag. A further problem is that the practice of forcing the utilities to act as tax collection agencies for various levels of government has compounded the difficulty of generating capital for expansion. According to Nation's business, "Next to fuel, taxes now represent the highest cost in the power industry's operating budget." In 1973, the tax bill of the investor-owned electric utilities totaled over $4 billion. In the past 25 years, their tax bill has been a whopping $57 billion – a sum equal to almost half their total investment in plant and equipment. Currently, taxes on utility companies are six times what they were in 1948. Today, when an electric company is granted a rate increase, more than half of the increase is taken in taxes.

Public understanding of facts such as these relative to a publicly- regulated utility is "public business" of the highest order of importance.

"It's just a friendly match!"

Art Buchwald

'ALL I WANT IS RESPECT'

WASHINGTON— U.N Ambassador Pat Moynihan's resignation on Monday surprised everybody. No one even suspected he was unhappy. This is how it came about:

"Mr. Secretary, it's Ambassador Moynihan on the poone."

"Oh no, not again. All right, put him through."

"Henry, it's Pat."

"Hello, Pat, what's up?"

"Do you love me?"

"Of course I love you, Pat."

"Then why don't you say it? Why do I always have to ask if you love me?"

"I told you yesterday I loved you. Isn't that enough?"

"That was yesterday. Today is a new day."

"Pat, I'm terribly busy. What can I do for you?"

"Henry, I want to ask you a question. I kno you love me, but do you respect me?"

"Yes, I respect you!"

"You know, Henry, respect is different from love. You can love somebody and not respect them. I can't do this job if you don't respect me."

"Pat, yesterday at my press conference I spent 15 minutes telling everyone what a fine job you were doing. Would I have done that if I didn't respect you?"

"Do you think the President respects me?"

"Yes, Pat. He told me at breakfast the other morning how much he respects you."

"Well, why doesn't he say so?"

"Ron Nessen said so at Tuesday's press briefing."

"That's not the same as the President saying it. I think if someone respects you he should say so himself, and not do it through his press secretary. I work long hours and it isn't much fun dealing with these Third World powers. All I ask is some support and affection."

"Pat, will you stop crying? Everyone in Washington respects you and loves you."

"You're just saying that to make me feel good. I know a lot of people in the State Department hate me."

"They don't hate you, Pat. They may disagree with you, but I haven't heard one person say 'I hate Pat Moynihan,' and I go out a lot."

"Well, I have information that there are certain people in State and at the White House who don't like me and I'm going to send you a cable telling you that unless they get off my back I'm going to quit. I want you to send it out to every embassy in the world."

"Pat, please don't send me a cable. It will wind up in The N.ew York Times. If you have anything to say, just come down to Washington and tell us. We'll pay for the shuttle."

"I don't like to do things that way. I think when you have something on your chest you should send a cable. No one will appreciate me if I don't put it in writing."

"Good greif, Pat. How many ways do I have to say it? Everyone appreciates you. Did you get my flowers after your last Security Council veto?"

"Yes, I did. Thank you, Henry, they were very beautiful. But the President didn't send me any flowers."

"Someone must have slipped up at the White House. I'll check into it right away."

"All right, I won't send a cable today. But I can't promise what I'll do tomorrow. Henry, say it once more."

"Say what?"

"Say you can't live without me."

"I'm not ready to go that far."

"That does it," Moynihan says. "I resign."

Washington Merry-Go-Round

By Jack Anderson

PRESS CRACKDOWN: People in power don't relish having their cozy relationships exposed and their blunders brought to light. They use their power, therefore, to silence those who dare to speak out.

Two recent cases have come to our attention; both deserve a public airing.

CASE No. 1: French Ambassador Jacques Kosciusko-Morizet has tried to put out of business a small French newspaper which dared to satirize him. The paper, France-Amerique, is published in New York by a U.S. firm.

CASE No. 2: Brazil's famous Archbishop of Recife, Dom Helder Camara, recently spoke his mind at the University of Chicago. The editors of the Brazilian journal, Cardenos de Opiniao, dared to print his address. This has brought terrible retribution upon their heads.

The French newspaper offended Ambassador Kosciusko-Morizet by publishing a satire which described a mythical town called Clochemerle. Its bumbling mayor, unhappily, appeared to be a lampoon of the self-important French Ambassador.

To almost everyone, the series was rich in Gallic humor. But to the prepossessing Parisian, the stories were intolerable. He stewed for awhile over the affront to his dignity, then proceeded to behave precisely like the mythical mayor of Clochemerle.

According to the management of the newspaper, Kosciusko-Morizet first tried to discourage the distribution of the paper at the embassy and consulate. Then he went to the paper's chief financial backer, Pierre Drogoul, and urged him to fire his editor-director, Francoise Chollet.

The astonished Drogoul told us he flatly refused. The Ambassador then turned on Drogoul, a respected Franco-American businessman. In high dudgeon, the Ambassador tried to get Drogoul expelled from the French Chamber of Commerce in New York. But this ploy failed, and Kosciusko-Morizet raged.

In a confidential letter to the Chamber, he accused it of "preferring soothing medicine to surgery." This was his characterization of the Chamber's dealings with Drogoul and the newspaper.

Next, according to Drogoul, the fuming Ambassador tried to dry up the paper's support from French banks in the U.S. He was finally successful in persuading some Franco-American businesses to stop advertising.

This was the last straw. Mme Chollet, the director, wrote France's President Giscard d'Estaing complaining about the behavior of his envoy. There has been no reply.

Although we have a copy of the Ambassador's confidential letter, he still insisted through a spokesman that all of Drogoul's charges were false. The French banks and Chamber of Commerce had only cautious "no comments."

We also have a sheaf of documents, smuggled to us from the files of the Brazilian Ministry of Justice, detailing the more ominous crackdown on the Brazilian journal.

The publication of Archbishop Helder's forthright remarks touched off a volley of memos between the dread federal police and the Justice Ministry. The memos declared that this exercise in freedom of the press was an "abuse" which "must be stopped."

In one confidential memo, the Ministry's legal counsel, Helio Fonseca, urged that the punishment for the publishers "cannot be an orthodox one." In Brazil, this is a euphemism calling for torture. For "unorthodox" punishment means torture.

Inside Labor

By Victor Riesel

Disappearing Dollar:

Cost of living mystique, the COLA, is debunked

WASHINGTON — There was a time a decade ago when the acronym GAW made the rounds as much as did "Jaws" last summer. Few knew about GAW until some strong unions won the Guaranteed Annual Wage – meaning that members were, and are, paid the year round whether they work or not.

Well, in the next few months the household acronym will be COLA. It isn't a drink. It's swiftly becoming a national headache to some 70 million employes who aren't coveredby the Cost of Living Allowance (COLA). That'll be the fiery issue as industrial war begins in trucking, rubber, chemicals and autos.

Since this COLA is one of the most powerful inflation forces deflating millions of pocketbooks, unless you're in one of the COLA unions, it most certainly is vital to rip the mystique from it.

For example, just look at these figures. This week Abe Abel's United Steel Workers Union announced its 400,000 basic steel industry members were receiving an additional nine cents an hour COLA under the "Experimental Negotiating Agreement" contract signed in August 1974. Previously under this pact there had been COLA increases totalling 83 cents an hour.

Thus the so-called cost of living allowance has given the union members an additional raise of $36.80 a week – in 18 months. And there's more COLA to come before the contract reopening in 1977.

Now that's atop the regular wages. And fringes -- holidays, three-month sabbaticals every five years, hospitalization, you name it. In some industries there are 40 to 50 fringe benefits. And not all are the garden variety type, like pensions. There is dental care which comes to an additional 15 to 18 per cent cost to the employer. Some fringes are esoteric, like flower funds, picnic money, school time, etc., etc.

The COLA is a tricky formula based on the U.S. Labor Department's Bureau of Labor Statistics (BLS) Consumer Price Index (CPI).

Every time the CPI goes up one point, most COLAcontracts call for pay increases of three or more pennies per hour per worker. Doesn't sound like much until you do the arithmetic. And that multiplication table is a tale of social significance.

BLS commissioner Julius Shiskin tells me that every additional point of inflation "generates" over a billion dollars in income payments. This not only includes the COLA-covered unions but families on good stamps and other federal welfare programs.

Thus around and around it goes. Prices in the Labor Department's "market basket" sampling go up, COLA payments to union members covered by such contracts go up. A billion dollars more inflates the economy. Prices go up again. In turn COLA pay goes up. And all this in addition to the regular wage raises and fringes won in the labor-management contract. "Incestuous inflation," one truly topside Treasury Department official says.

The conometrics experts also report there's a concurrent "float," or a "compounding," or a "crrep," or a "roll up" which adds another 20 per cent to the labor cost, because the COLA increases are eventually put into the regular basic wage rates. On which overtime is reckoned, for example.

It's all based on what happens to the Consumer Price Index which some erroneously call the cost of living. They are not the same. They can't be interpreted in thesame fashion. Why? Because first the Consumer Price Index is a national figure in any COLA contract. Auto workers in low-cost small towns get the same COLA increase as do those in Detroit or those who commute from high-priced New York City to nearby plants.

And yet the COLA escalator clause in union contracts calls for catching up with the cost of living. Are new cars part of the cost of living, or taxi cab fares, property taxes and mortgage rates and tobacco products? Well, they went up during the most recent reporting period. Hospital service charges also rose (coverage paid mostly by employers).

So did the price of dried beans and processed vegetables. Okay. Food's vital. But the up drag came from the elitist products in the "market basket." And not from pork, beef, poultry, fresh fruits, margarine, salad dressing, used cars, apparel and some gasoline. Also cola drinks, which went down in price.

Why should new cars and mortgage interest be considered COLA items? Why should labor unit cost, and thus the price to the consumer, the vast 70 million union and non-union employes who aren't under COLA contracts go up? And what of the increased cost to the federal, state and city governments? And the resulting increased taxes? Why should some workers be more equal than others? And to misquote Shakespeare, if you stab our pocketbook do we not bleed?

Further, there's no assurance, says Shiskin, that the CPI truly reflects today's society. It's based on outmoded 1961 "baskets." It may be too high. Or too low. Who knows? The BLS is working hard to make it exact by April 1977.

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MASSACHUSETTS: RATIFICATION DAY. Feb 6. Sixth State to ratify constitution, on this day in 1788.

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ADDING TO INTERNATIONAL COMPANIES' TAX BURDENS WILL DESTROY U.S. JOBS

U.S. firms doing business across national boundaries are accused of creating unemployment, ruining our balance of payments and evading their fair share of taxes. But the evidence shows exactly the reverse is true.

According to Robert C. Brown, writing in Tax Foundation's Tax Review for October, the international corporations create new domestic jobs and pay high salaries. Far from endangering the world economy, they promote an international division of labor, world-wide trade, and the peace and tranquility that always accompany economic cooperation.

Efforts to close "loopholes" and impose punitive taxes against such U.S. "multinational" companies will succeed only in destroying American jobs and in placing our companies at an unfair competitive disadvantage relative to their foreign rivals, Mr. Brown believes.

In addition, such tax "reforms" would cut our exports.

Replying to the charge the international corporations "export jobs," Bob Brown points out that U.S. companies that invest abroad are the strongest part of our economy. Domestic U.S. employment in these firms has been increasing while employment in other U.S. manufacturing companies has been decreasing. Not only that but their wages have been increasing faster than those in other companies.

There are other serious flaws in such charges, he adds.

"Very little of the foreign production undertaken by subsidiaries of U.S. corporatoins would have been possible to launch domestically." They'd have had to surmount foreign tariff barriers, import controls and transportation costs.

"Any attempt to throttle the U.S. firm in the hope of shifting jobs to our country, is doomed to failure," says the Tax Foundation's executive director.

There are even more compelling considerations. The international firms are the unequaled masters of creating the most productive employment the world has ever known, Mr. Borwn states. It is productive employment we are after.

"The goal of economic policy is not simply an increase in employment per se. If it were, we could reach it overnight by merely dismantling the railroad tracks between Chicago and New York and hiring workers to carry the usual load of freight on their backs. This would keep us 'fully employed' (and impoverished) for the next 10,000 years."

A related complaint is that the internationals "take advantage" of cheap labor. But employment by U.S. firms in low wage areas of the world is less than one fourth of the total and is declining.

Results of "reform"

In his article, "U.S. International Firms Create Jobs, Goods, Profits, Tax Revenues," Mr. Brown attacks recent proposals to "reform" Federal tax laws by accelerating taxes on the income of foreign subsidiaries and eliminating the credit allowed for foreign income taxes. Such proposals would have these results:

1. They could involve the taxation of reinvested foreign profits that for various reasons might never be received by the American shareowners.

2. They would undoubtedly lead to tax retaliation leaving us worse off than before.

3. They would increase the tax burden of the U.S. corporations putting them at a competitive disadvantage relative to their foreign- owned rivals. As a result, foreign earnings and dividends brought back to the U.S. would fall as foreign markets were relinquished to foreign concerns. Exports of U.S. goods, made by American workers, would also decrease, and our balance of payments position would suffer.

Bob Brown terms such policies "misconceived and-myopic." Foreign governments follow one of two courses in this regard, he points out. They either allow credits for foreign taxes paid, or they do not tax foreign- source income at all. France and the Netherlands follow the latter course; all other nations follow the former.

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Flattery is the art of telling a person exactly what he thinks of himself.

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QUOTES FROM ALL OVER ...

"One way to close this 'capital gap' is to earn more dollars of profit that can be reinvested and, at the same time will increase our ability to borrow capital."

But better tax laws are needed — laws that will encourage people to save and businesses to invest their profits..." — Edgar B. Speer, Chairman, U.S. Steel News.

"The idea that the Federal government should impose a tight straight jacket on itself in the face of the most serious unemployment is absolutely ridiculous ..." George Meany at the ILA convention ...

...and More Quotes

People in the rural West believe that "Washington is a steering wheel that's not connected to the engine." — Stanley N. Wellborn in U.S. News & World Report.

"Inability to understand the role of profits or the functioning of the free market system partly explains the punitive atmosphere in the present Congress. The attitude of an alarming number of Congressmen ... is that the free enterprise system is an outmoded 19th century institution." — Alton box board Co. Letter to stockholders.

Price and wage control policies' contribution to economic stability is extremely modest at best and quite possibly negative. They were attempts to cure the symptoms ... "Greater promise likes in a direct attack on the disease ... insufficient price flexibility because of excessive regulation and constraints on competition ..." Hendrik S. Houthakker, Harvard ....

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Does that Guinness book have an entry for the most price stickers pasted over each other on canned goods?

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Try to think of something cheerful, like how by not having a thoroughbred horse you don't have to pay $700 a month to an exercise boy.

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WRONG APPROACH

The nation's retailers, like all other businesses and industries, have shown their willingness to comply with energy conservation measures. But they oppose highly- detailed regulation that would cripple business operations. Store hours, for example, should not be mandated at any level of government, nor should detailed regulations be written governing such matters as store lighting.

An illustration of the difficulties involved in such miniscule decrees is found in a Federal Energy Office proposal to reduce the degree of light intensity in store selling areas. The problem is that the amount of light produced by fluorescent tubes deteriorates by 20 per cent over a normal 18- month cycle. Turning out alternate light fixtures causes uneven lighting. This uneveness makes it virtually impossible to get a precise average reading for light intensity over an entire selling area. The placement of fixtures, even with alternate fixtures turned off makes this impossible. The plus or minus factor could be as high as 50 per cent.

The government should set a goal for energy use or energy saving. Business should be permitted maximum flexibility in deciding how to meet that goal. All of this may sound like a picayune matter to the public but, as retailers point out, the one thing that must be maintained is production of civilian goods in this inflationary era. However, the goods produced in factories and on farms have no vlaue until they are made available locally to consumers. It is retailing's responsibility to efficiently distribute, promote and sell what is produced.

Retailers will play an increasingly important part in supporting the nation's economy as energy adjustments are made. Swamping them in a maze of petty regulations kills efficiency and effective energy conservation.

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GETTING DOWN TO BICENTENNIAL BASICS

By Don Oakley

Since his appointment in 1974 as head of the American Revolution Bicentennial Administration, John Warner has traveled more than a quarter-million miles, crisscrossing these not-so-United States.

You might think that urging Americans to look back across their first 200 years to rediscover the nation's strengths of spirit and wisdom would be an easy task, says Warner, a former secretary of the Navy. "It is not always."

He freely admits there are dissenting views on the Bicentennial. Many blacks and American Indians, for example, complain that they haven't much to celebrate.

To them, Warner replies, "O.K. Use the Bicentennial to point up to the whole country your problems and needs. America is strong enough to look at its sometimes gray past."

Then there are complaints that the Bicentennial celebration is being turned into a "Buy-centennial Sell-ebration" because of a flood of shoddy souvenirs aimed at cashing in on patriotic fervor.

But only a part of this outpouring of memorabilia is officially sanctioned by the American Revolution Bicentennial Commission in Washington, in return for royalties that will be used to help sponsor 1976 festivities.

As established by Congress, Warner points out, the ARBA has no power to tell anyone what to do. It can only advise and help state and local Bicentennial commissions in planning their observances.

The freedoms won two centuries ago included not only freedom of speech but freedom of taste, he reminds us.

On a more encouraging note, he also reports that "what strikes me most as I move around the country is the great enthusiasm of citizens from every walk of life for activities that say, 'You bet, I'm proud to be an American.' "

So far, the ARBA's computer that keeps track of what Americans are doing or planning in observance of the nation's 200th birthday has recorded more than 30,000 activities, with an unknown number yet to be reported.

"The year 1976 will be a benchmark for generations," says Warner, "a point in time when America stood amid massed flags and exploding fireworks to look both backwards and forwards at what America is and should be.

"Not everyone can afford gold or silver medallions. But I'm sure most Americans will want something that says, 'Yes, I was there then. And what we say and thought and did will become part of the heritage the nation will celebrate at the Tricentennial."

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RECORD A LETTER...

America is becoming a nation of dictators.

Shocking but true, if the growth of the dictating equipment industry is anything to go by.

Interestingly enough, the recession has had a lot to do with it. As businesses strove to trim costs and increase productivity, dictating equipment displaced many ubiquitous Gal Fridays in the offices, plants and factories. Studies have shown that the volume of letters and reports generated by executives can be increased as much as five times using machines.

Another reason, according to the head of a company that claims a lion's share of what has become a $200-million market, is that the machines are always there. Secretaril absence, with steno symbols locked undeciphered in notebooks, costs business millions of dollars annually in lost man hours and reduced productivity, says Sartain Lanier.

Maybe so, but they haven't built a dictating machine yet that can remember to send flowers to the boss's wife on her birthday.

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A customer in a restaurant had been particularly loud and obnoxious, continually giving the waiter a hard time. Finally, he said loudly, "What do you have to do to get a glass of water in this dump?"

"Set yourself on fire," replied the man at the next table.

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WHY ARE WE IN ANGOLA?

By DON OAKLEY

Fears that the United States could get intself into another Vietnam type mess in Angola may be a bit overdrawn, but there are enough disturbing similarities between the two situations to warrant the close scrutiny Congress is giving the matter.

For one thing, it again seems to be a case of a few high officials and advisors in the executive branch perceiving a direct threat to the interests of the United States in the prospect of a Communist victory in a power struggle being waged in a former European colony—this time not French Indochina but Portuguese Angola.

And again, apparently proceeding on the assumption that neither the American people nor Congress can be trusted to grasp the realities of world politics, these few men have decided on their own initiative to do what has to be done by clandestinely funneling some $50 million to anti-Communist factions in Angola through the governments of Zaire and Zambia.

The difference this time is that they got caught early in the game and people started asking questions.

And just as we were warned of all kinds of dire consequences if the United States "lost" Vietnam, we are warned of terrible things that will happen if the Communists take over in Angola. It would give the Soviet Union control of the shipping lanes from the Persian Gulf to New York and a jumping off point for invasion of Brazil, says Daniel P. Moynihan, our ambassador to the U.N.

But horrific possibilities like this would seem to demand a rather more strenuous U.S. response than a measly $50 million slipped under the table, as it were. Maybe even a sharp remonstrance to the Soviet Union—though nothing so sharp as to impair detente, of course. Certainly nothing so severe as threatening to cut off their grain if they don't stop meedling in Angola. Heavens, no.

One suspects, however, that there may be certain other similarities between Angola and Vietnam.

It is possible, for instance, that the situation in the former, as it was in the latter, may be a little more complex than simply the embattled lovers of democratic freedom waging a valiant fight against the ruthless running dogs of Soviet imperialism.

There is also evidence that, as was the case in Vietnam, the escalation of Soviet arms aid to the pro-Communists in Angola is in part a response to prior U.S. aid to the anti-Communists (the Kremlin may be worried about possible American control of the shipping lanes or something), and that, as also happened in Vietnam, a counter-escalation would provoke a counter-counter-escalation.

Or have we learned the lesson of Vietnam too well? Is what is happening in Angola, or could happen there, of direct bearing on the securjty of the United States? Do we need a Bay of Luanda Resolution?

Several hundred congressmen, and a couple hundred million Americans are waiting to be convinced.

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LESS IS MORE

New York City and Long Island bricklayers have decided that an hour's work at $7.49 is better than no work at $9.99.

That much a cut in hourly pay, plus reductions in overtime pay and fringe benefits totalling 40 per cent, has been agreed upon by members of the International Union of Bricklayers and Allied Craftsmen in the hope of stimulating the depressed residential construction business.

"They had no work," says a contractor. "They realized the cost of the product was too high and the only way they could reduce it was to reduce wages."

This kind of attitude could spread. It might even get as far as Detroit, where the cost of new cars keeps going up whether sales are good or bad.

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THREATENING A VITAL SERVICE

Just because investor- owned electric ompanies are subject to public regulation in no way sets them apart from companies in other industries that must earn adequate profits to live -- and to serve their customers. Electric companies are a case where regulation and taxation pose a threat to the future of a vital service. Rising energy demands require astronomical power company investments in new plants and facilities. If the money for this investment is to be available, millions of individuals and institutions must have enough confidence in the profitability of the electric industry to invest their savings and earnings in it.

One serious problem faced by the utility companies is the "regulatory lag" – the gap between the time when an electric company applies for rate increases and the time the increases are actually granted. This regulatory lag has made it difficult if not impossible for electric companies to keep abreast of soaring costs – including taxes. Utility officials point to the necessity of following the lead of a number of state utility commissions which have acted to end the regulatory lag. A further problem is that the practice of forcing the utilities to act as tax collection agencies for various levels of government has compounded the difficulty of generating capital for expansion. According to Nation's business, "Next to fuel, taxes now represent the highest cost in the power industry's operating budget." In 1973, the tax bill of the investor-owned electric utilities totaled over $4 billion. In the past 25 years, their tax bill has been a whopping $57 billion – a sum equal to almost half their total investment in plant and equipment. Currently, taxes on utility companies are six times what they were in 1948. Today, when an electric company is granted a rate increase, more than half of the increase is taken in taxes.

Public understanding of facts such as these relative to a publicly- regulated utility is "public business" of the highest order of importance.

Art Buchwald

'ALL I WANT IS RESPECT'

WASHINGTON— U.N Ambassador Pat Moynihan's resignation on Monday surprised everybody. No one even suspected he was unhappy. This is how it came about:

"Mr. Secretary, it's Ambassador Moynihan on the poone."

"Oh no, not again. All right, put him through."

"Henry, it's Pat."

"Hello, Pat, what's up?"

"Do you love me?"

"Of course I love you, Pat."

"Then why don't you say it? Why do I always have to ask if you love me?"

"I told you yesterday I loved you. Isn't that enough?"

"That was yesterday. Today is a new day."

"Pat, I'm terribly busy. What can I do for you?"

"Henry, I want to ask you a question. I kno you love me, but do you respect me?"

"Yes, I respect you!"

"You know, Henry, respect is different from love. You can love somebody and not respect them. I can't do this job if you don't respect me."

"Pat, yesterday at my press conference I spent 15 minutes telling everyone what a fine job you were doing. Would I have done that if I didn't respect you?"

"Do you think the President respects me?"

"Yes, Pat. He told me at breakfast the other morning how much he respects you."

"Well, why doesn't he say so?"

"Ron Nessen said so at Tuesday's press briefing."

"That's not the same as the President saying it. I think if someone respects you he should say so himself, and not do it through his press secretary. I work long hours and it isn't much fun dealing with these Third World powers. All I ask is some support and affection."

"Pat, will you stop crying? Everyone in Washington respects you and loves you."

"You're just saying that to make me feel good. I know a lot of people in the State Department hate me."

"They don't hate you, Pat. They may disagree with you, but I haven't heard one person say 'I hate Pat Moynihan,' and I go out a lot."

"Well, I have information that there are certain people in State and at the White House who don't like me and I'm going to send you a cable telling you that unless they get off my back I'm going to quit. I want you to send it out to every embassy in the world."

"Pat, please don't send me a cable. It will wind up in The N.ew York Times. If you have anything to say, just come down to Washington and tell us. We'll pay for the shuttle."

"I don't like to do things that way. I think when you have something on your chest you should send a cable. No one will appreciate me if I don't put it in writing."

"Good greif, Pat. How many ways do I have to say it? Everyone appreciates you. Did you get my flowers after your last Security Council veto?"

"Yes, I did. Thank you, Henry, they were very beautiful. But the President didn't send me any flowers."

"Someone must have slipped up at the White House. I'll check into it right away."

"All right, I won't send a cable today. But I can't promise what I'll do tomorrow. Henry, say it once more."

"Say what?"

"Say you can't live without me."

"I'm not ready to go that far."

"That does it," Moynihan says. "I resign."

Inside Labor

By Victor Riesel

Disappearing Dollar:
Cost of living mystique, the COLA, is debunked

WASHINGTON — There was a time a decade ago when the acronym GAW made the rounds as much as did "Jaws" last summer. Few knew about GAW until some strong unions won the Guaranteed Annual Wage – meaning that members were, and are, paid the year round whether they work or not.

Well, in the next few months the household acronym will be COLA. It isn't a drink. It's swiftly becoming a national headache to some 70 million employes who aren't coveredby the Cost of Living Allowance (COLA). That'll be the fiery issue as industrial war begins in trucking, rubber, chemicals and autos.

Since this COLA is one of the most powerful inflation forces deflating millions of pocketbooks, unless you're in one of the COLA unions, it most certainly is vital to rip the mystique from it.

For example, just look at these figures. This week Abe Abel's United Steel Workers Union announced its 400,000 basic steel industry members were receiving an additional nine cents an hour COLA under the "Experimental Negotiating Agreement" contract signed in August 1974. Previously under this pact there had been COLA increases totalling 83 cents an hour.

Thus the so-called cost of living allowance has given the union members an additional raise of $36.80 a week – in 18 months. And there's more COLA to come before the contract reopening in 1977.

Now that's atop the regular wages. And fringes -- holidays, three-month sabbaticals every five years, hospitalization, you name it. In some industries there are 40 to 50 fringe benefits. And not all are the garden variety type, like pensions. There is dental care which comes to an additional 15 to 18 per cent cost to the employer. Some fringes are esoteric, like flower funds, picnic money, school time, etc., etc.

The COLA is a tricky formula based on the U.S. Labor Department's Bureau of Labor Statistics (BLS) Consumer Price Index (CPI).

Every time the CPI goes up one point, most COLAcontracts call for pay increases of three or more pennies per hour per worker. Doesn't sound like much until you do the arithmetic. And that multiplication table is a tale of social significance.

BLS commissioner Julius Shiskin tells me that every additional point of inflation "generates" over a billion dollars in income payments. This not only includes the COLA-covered unions but families on good stamps and other federal welfare programs.

Thus around and around it goes. Prices in the Labor Department's "market basket" sampling go up, COLA payments to union members covered by such contracts go up. A billion dollars more inflates the economy. Prices go up again. In turn COLA pay goes up. And all this in addition to the regular wage raises and fringes won in the labor-management contract. "Incestuous inflation," one truly topside Treasury Department official says.

The conometrics experts also report there's a concurrent "float," or a "compounding," or a "crrep," or a "roll up" which adds another 20 per cent to the labor cost, because the COLA increases are eventually put into the regular basic wage rates. On which overtime is reckoned, for example.

It's all based on what happens to the Consumer Price Index which some erroneously call the cost of living. They are not the same. They can't be interpreted in thesame fashion. Why? Because first the Consumer Price Index is a national figure in any COLA contract. Auto workers in low-cost small towns get the same COLA increase as do those in Detroit or those who commute from high-priced New York City to nearby plants.

And yet the COLA escalator clause in union contracts calls for catching up with the cost of living. Are new cars part of the cost of living, or taxi cab fares, property taxes and mortgage rates and tobacco products? Well, they went up during the most recent reporting period. Hospital service charges also rose (coverage paid mostly by employers).

So did the price of dried beans and processed vegetables. Okay. Food's vital. But the up drag came from the elitist products in the "market basket." And not from pork, beef, poultry, fresh fruits, margarine, salad dressing, used cars, apparel and some gasoline. Also cola drinks, which went down in price.

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Washington Merry-Go-Round

By Jack Anderson

PRESS CRACKDOWN: People in power don't relish having their cozy relationships exposed and their blunders brought to light. They use their power, therefore, to silence those who dare to speak out.

Two recent cases have come to our attention; both deserve a public airing.

CASE No. 1: French Ambassador Jacques Kosciusko-Morizet has tried to put out of business a small French newspaper which dared to satirize him. The paper, France-Amerique, is published in New York by a U.S. firm.

CASE No. 2: Brazil's famous Archbishop of Recife, Dom Helder Camara, recently spoke his mind at the University of Chicago. The editors of the Brazilian journal, Cardenos de Opiniao, dared to print his address. This has brought terrible retribution upon their heads.

The French newspaper offended Ambassador Kosciusko-Morizet by publishing a satire which described a mythical town called Clochemerle. Its bumbling mayor, unhappily, appeared to be a lampoon of the self-important French Ambassador.

To almost everyone, the series was rich in Gallic humor. But to the prepossessing Parisian, the stories were intolerable. He stewed for awhile over the affront to his dignity, then proceeded to behave precisely like the mythical mayor of Clochemerle.

According to the management of the newspaper, Kosciusko-Morizet first tried to discourage the distribution of the paper at the embassy and consulate. Then he went to the paper's chief financial backer, Pierre Drogoul, and urged him to fire his editor-director, Francoise Chollet.

The astonished Drogoul told us he flatly refused. The Ambassador then turned on Drogoul, a respected Franco-American businessman. In high dudgeon, the Ambassador tried to get Drogoul expelled from the French Chamber of Commerce in New York. But this ploy failed, and Kosciusko-Morizet raged.

In a confidential letter to the Chamber, he accused it of "preferring soothing medicine to surgery." This was his characterization of the Chamber's dealings with Drogoul and the newspaper.

Next, according to Drogoul, the fuming Ambassador tried to dry up the paper's support from French banks in the U.S. He was finally successful in persuading some Franco-American businesses to stop advertising.

This was the last straw. Mme Chollet, the director, wrote France's President Giscard d'Estaing complaining about the behavior of his envoy. There has been no reply.

Although we have a copy of the Ambassador's confidential letter, he still insisted through a spokesman that all of Drogoul's charges were false. The French banks and Chamber of Commerce had only cautious "no comments."

We also have a sheaf of documents, smuggled to us from the files of the Brazilian Ministry of Justice, detailing the more ominous crackdown on the Brazilian journal.

The publication of Archbishop Helder's forthright remarks touched off a volley of memos between the dread federal police and the Justice Ministry. The memos declared that this exercise in freedom of the press was an "abuse" which "must be stopped."

In one confidential memo, the Ministry's legal counsel, Helio Fonseca, urged that the punishment for the publishers "cannot be an orthodox one." In Brazil, this is a euphemism calling for torture. For "unorthodox" punishment means torture.

Heart Fund selects leadership

Community chairmen for the 1976 Heart Fund drive in Scott County have been selected by the Missouri Heart Association. The announcement was made by Scott County campaign chairwoman Sheri Watson, 115 Thomas Drive.

Serving as county-level chairmen Beverly Southerland, 1315 W. Murray Lane, publicity, and Lee Shell, 907 Crescent Drive, treasurer.

Community chairmen appointed to date are: Mrs. Gerald Pobst, Vanduser; Barbara Bollinger and Claudiann Seller, Oran; Mrs. Jerome Wetter, Benton; Mrs. Ben F. Marshall III, Blodgett; Mrs. Judi Meyr, Chaffee; Mrs. Linus Huck, Commerce; Mrs. Cecil Warren, Diehlstadt; Mrs. Larry Caldwell, Illmo and Scott City; Mrs. Ed Ressell, Kelso; Ramona Kyle, Miner; Linda Meals, Morley; Mrs. Albert Enderle, New Hamburg; Pauline Bumgardaner, Perkins, and Mrs. Leo Howell, Rockview.

Barbara Schaefer, 242 Harry St., will be the community chairman for Sikeston, while Debbie Watson, 811 Harvard, will be co-chairman in charge of businesses.

Monies collected are used to promote a large number of heart association programs. Mrs. Watson explained that the distribution breakdown of where Heart Fund dollars go is approximately as follows: 17.1 per cent to research, 22 per cent for professional education and training, 19.6 per cent for community service, 8.7 per cent for administrative costs and 9.7 per cent for fund raising.

"Heart disease research in the Missouri Medical Schools receives a great deal of attention," added Mrs. Watson. "Heart research anywhere helps hearts everywhere," she continued.

"Public health education also receives emphasis with such efforts as Heart Attack Signs for Action programs and open public forums on heart disease. Heart models, teaching aids, films and speakers are also made available for schools, along with special health care literature for distribution.

The most obvious way to see the returns of collected fund is through services provided to Missouri communities. For instance, the Missouri Heart Association frequently conducts high blood pressure screening programs in cooperation with other groups.

Scott County will conduct blood pressures checks open to the community each Saturday during the month of February. They will be conducted at Kingsway Plaza Mall from 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. Mrs. C.F. Eisenbach is in charge of the blood pressure tests.

The association also provides training in mouth-to-mouth breathing and closed-chest heart massage which makes possible the saving of lives in many cases. The Missouri Heart Association cooperates with the Missouri Division of Health in both a primary and secondary Rheumatic Fever Program.

Such community programs are made possible through Heart Fund drives across the state, combined with special contributions received throughout the year, such as heart memorials and bequests.

Registrant processing terminated

All registrant processing of young men for selective service was terminated Jan. 27, according to Gladys Nebel, executive secretary of Selective Service Area Office No. 25, located at 350A Kingsway Plaza Mall, who was notified of the change by Leslie Greiner, state director of the Selective Service System.

A major reduction in force of the Selective Service System will be implemented by March 1, which does not permit registration.

Registration will be resumed only upon a declaration of an emergency by the President of the United States. Actual inductions could not take place unless authorized by Congress, Greiner stated.

There were nearly 6,000 work stoppages in the United States in 1974, the highest number on record in this country, reports The Conference Board.

Resident artist sought for Sikeston schools

The Missouri State Council on the Arts is seeking one artist for an 11-week residency in Sikeston elementary schools, beginning in March.

The program is sponsored by the National Endowment for the Arts, Missouri State Council on the Arts and Sikeston Public Schools.

The artist will spend half-time working with students and teachers in the school system and the other half on his own art work.

The artist is required to live in the immediate area. The salary for the 11-week period will be about $3,000.

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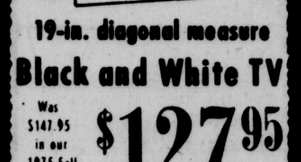

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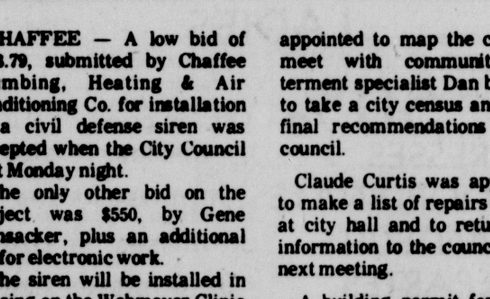

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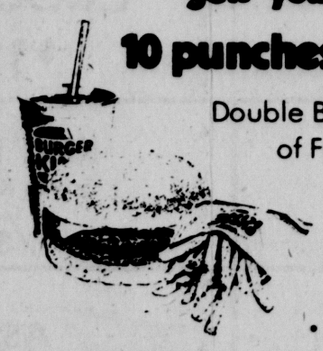

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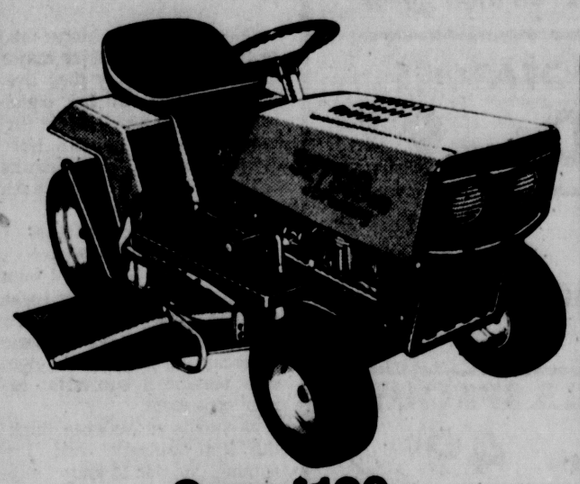

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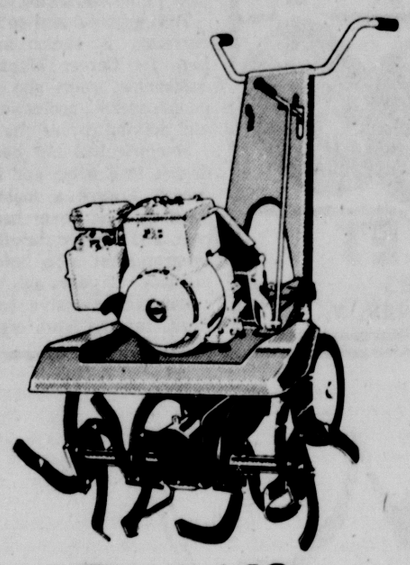

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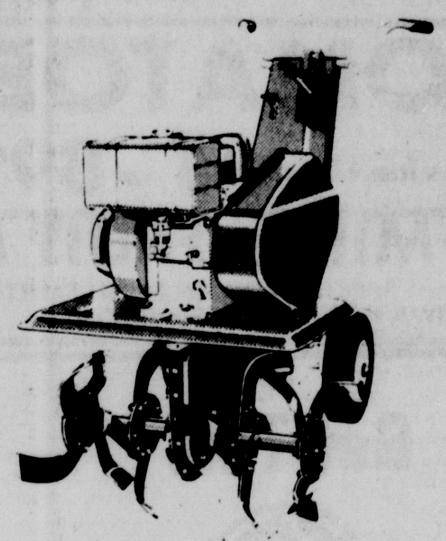

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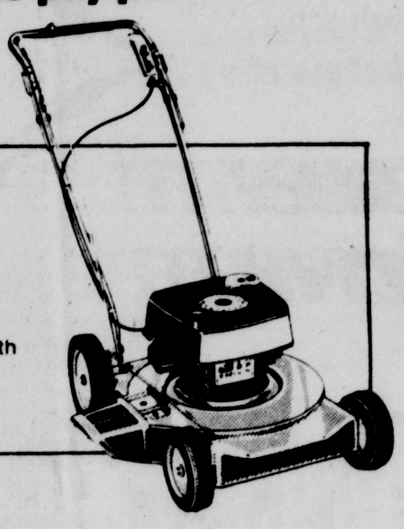

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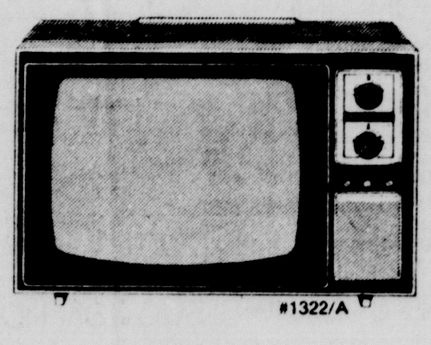

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Heart Fund selects leadership

Community chairmen for the 1976 Heart Fund drive in Scott County have been selected by the Missouri Heart Association. The announcement was made by Scott County campaign chairwoman Sheri Watson, 115 Thomas Drive.

Serving as county-level chairmen Beverly Southerland, 1315 W. Murray Lane, publicity, and Lee Shell, 907 Crescent Drive, treasurer.

Community chairmen appointed to date are: Mrs. Gerald Pobst, Vanduser; Barbara Bollinger and Claudiann Seller, Oran; Mrs. Jerome Wetter, Benton; Mrs. Ben F. Marshall III, Blodgett; Mrs. Judi Meyr, Chaffee; Mrs. Linus Huck, Commerce; Mrs. Cecil Warren, Diehlstadt; Mrs. Larry Caldwell, Illmo and Scott City; Mrs. Ed Ressell, Kelso; Ramona Kyle, Miner; Linda Meals, Morley; Mrs. Albert Enderle, New Hamburg; Pauline Bumgardaner, Perkins, and Mrs. Leo Howell, Rockview.

Barbara Schaefer, 242 Harry St., will be the community chairman for Sikeston, while Debbie Watson, 811 Harvard, will be co-chairman in charge of businesses.

Monies collected are used to promote a large number of heart association programs. Mrs. Watson explained that the distribution breakdown of where Heart Fund dollars go is approximately as follows: 17.1 per cent to research, 22 per cent for professional education and training, 19.6 per cent for community service, 8.7 per cent for administrative costs and 9.7 per cent for fund raising.

"Heart disease research in the Missouri Medical Schools receives a great deal of attention," added Mrs. Watson. "Heart research anywhere helps hearts everywhere," she continued.

"Public health education also receives emphasis with such efforts as Heart Attack Signs for Action programs and open public forums on heart disease. Heart models, teaching aids, films and speakers are also made available for schools, along with special health care literature for distribution.

The most obvious way to see the returns of collected fund is through services provided to Missouri communities. For instance, the Missouri Heart Association frequently conducts high blood pressure screening programs in cooperation with other groups.

Scott County will conduct blood pressures checks open to the community each Saturday during the month of February. They will be conducted at Kingsway Plaza Mall from 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. Mrs. C.F. Eisenbach is in charge of the blood pressure tests.

The association also provides training in mouth-to-mouth breathing and closed-chest heart massage which makes possible the saving of lives in many cases. The Missouri Heart Association cooperates with the Missouri Division of Health in both a primary and secondary Rheumatic Fever Program.

Such community programs are made possible through Heart Fund drives across the state, combined with special contributions received throughout the year, such as heart memorials and bequests.

Registrant processing terminated

All registrant processing of young men for selective service was terminated Jan. 27, according to Gladys Nebel, executive secretary of Selective Service Area Office No. 25, located at 350A Kingsway Plaza Mall, who was notified of the change by Leslie Greiner, state director of the Selective Service System.

A major reduction in force of the Selective Service System will be implemented by March 1, which does not permit registration.

Registration will be resumed only upon a declaration of an emergency by the President of the United States. Actual inductions could not take place unless authorized by Congress, Greiner stated.

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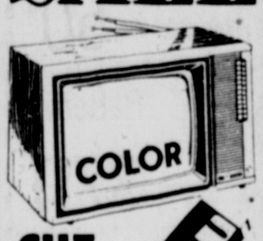

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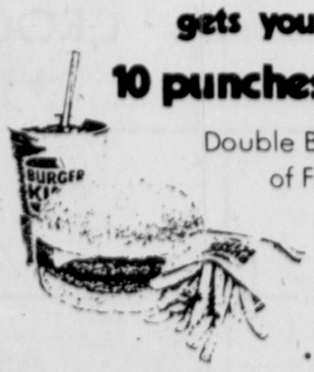

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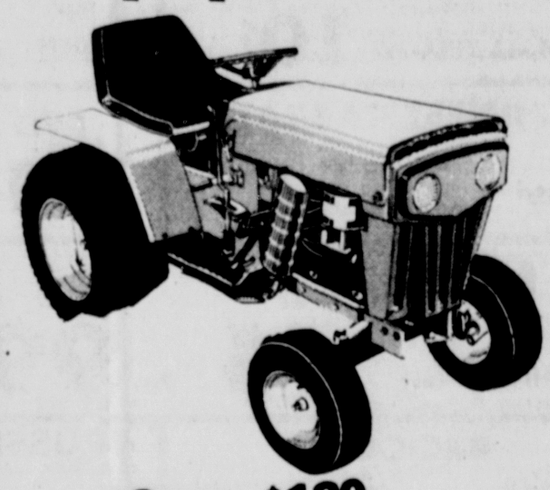

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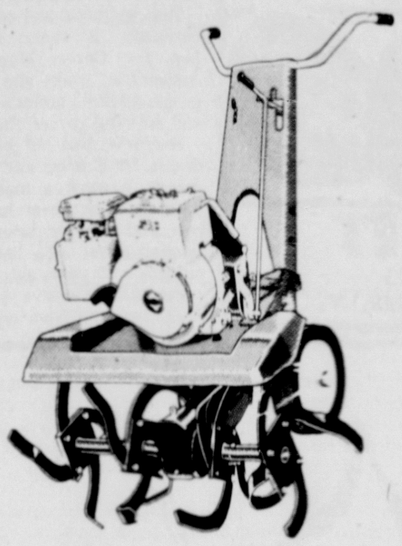

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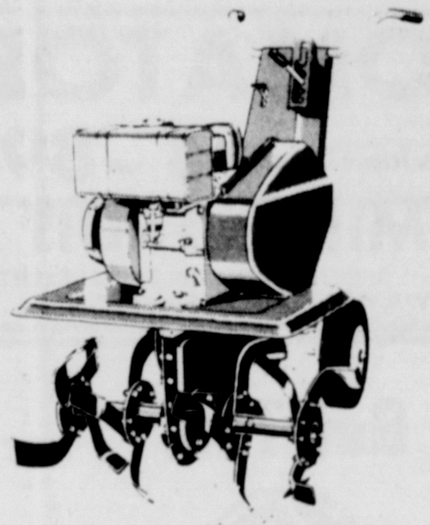

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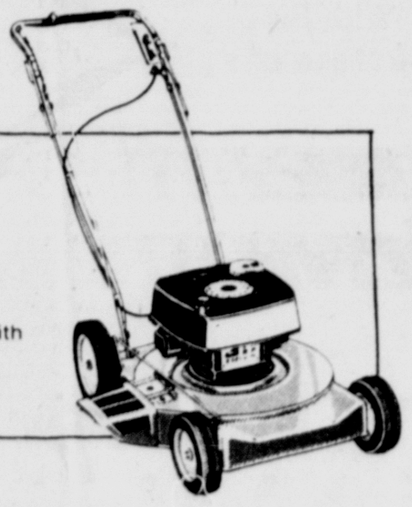

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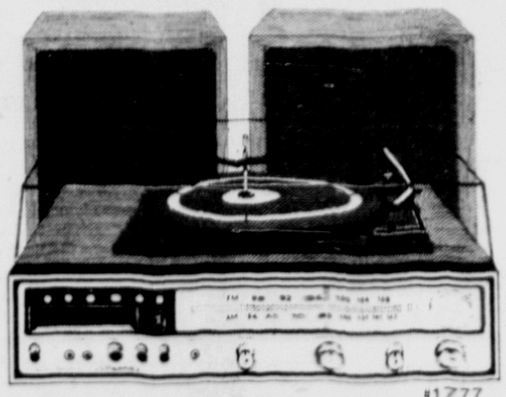

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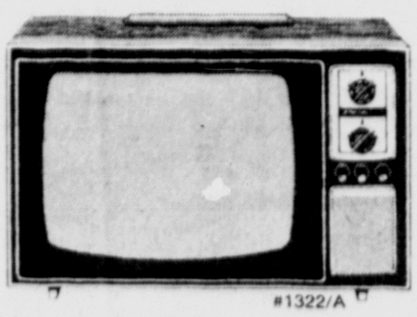

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Marjorie goes to work

Editor's Note: More and more people are making major changes in the way they live. These lifestyle switches, sometimes abrupt, often create turmoil within their families. Here is the second of four portraits of people who made such moves.

By VICTORIA GRAHAM
Associated Press Writer

NEW YORK (AP) — "I went through anguish. I knew I was talented, but I didn't know where or how," says Marjorie Rubacky, a mother of eight who became a successful career consultant.

"I vacillated between thinking 'I'm fantastic' and 'I'm nothing. I don't know anything.'" says the 46-year-old wife of an orthopedic surgeon in Montclair, N.J.

"I knew I wanted a professional-level job, and I wanted my family, too. I didn't want to choose, and I haven't."

Marjorie began her career three years ago as a consumer affairs director for a bank. She was promoted to products manager in the marketing division.

Tall, graceful and poised, she currently is senior associate here for Career Management Associates, where she counsels people seeking professional jobs and making career changes.

Marjorie had her bachelor's degree in English and half the credits toward a master's in theology. She never had a career and worked briefly as a congressional aide before her marriage 23 years ago.

She did extensive volunteer work, ranging from organizing charity balls to teaching high school sex education and developing curriculum for religious studies.

"I had really wanted to raise a family," she says, "and I have no regrets. I'm deeply in love with my husband.

"But four years ago my last child was four or five, and I began to feel a growing need to feel more enthusiastic. I knew I wanted a job but didn't have the vaguest idea what."

She took a career planning course at the company where she now works. She realized she had skills in research, analysis, organization and communication.

Many women acquire skills in their volunteer work but don't give themselves credit because they didn't get paid, she says.

When she first talked about going back to work, her husband, Gerald, 48, encouraged her but didn't think she was ambitious for a career.

"It wasn't easy," Marjorie says. "The first time I came home later than he did, he said we couldn't have this, that the home came first.

"At first it was difficult to grasp. After all, I didn't have to work. I had a nice life. He may have wondered, 'What more do you want? Isn't this enough?'

"I think it may have brought up some resentment and fear in asking: 'Is she going to let a career come between us and our marriage?'"

They are adjusting, and Marjorie thinks their marriage is stronger for it.

"I feel for the first time in years that I am a peer. I absolutely glory in knowing that I am an independent person," she says.

"If I want to walk out, I can walk out. I think that's something every woman should feel.

"You wake up and you're suddenly financially independent. You don't need a husband to survive. I think our marriage is better."

Marjorie is usually up by 6 a.m., works long hours and occasional nights and weekends. She doesn't have much vacation. Gone are the days, she says, "when I was home at 6 p.m., perfumed and waiting."

Gone, also, are the days when her husband got out early from surgery and both went to New York for lunch and movies.

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New lives

Marjorie goes to work

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By VICTORIA GRAHAM
Associated Press Writer

NEW YORK (AP) — "I went through anguish. I knew I was talented, but I didn't know where or how," says Marjorie Rubacky, a mother of eight who became a successful career consultant.

"I vacillated between thinking 'I'm fantastic' and 'I'm nothing. I don't know anything.'" says the 46-year-old wife of an orthopedic surgeon in Montclair, N.J.

"I knew I wanted a professional-level job, and I wanted my family, too. I didn't want to choose, and I haven't."

Marjorie began her career three years ago as a consumer affairs director for a bank. She was promoted to products manager in the marketing division.

Tall, graceful and poised, she currently is senior associate here for Career Management Associates, where she counsels people seeking professional jobs and making career changes.

Marjorie had her bachelor's degree in English and half the credits toward a master's in theology. She never had a career and worked briefly as a congressional aide before her marriage 23 years ago.

She did extensive volunteer work, ranging from organizing charity balls to teaching high school sex education and developing curriculum for religious studies.

"I had really wanted to raise a family," she says, "and I have no regrets. I'm deeply in love with my husband.

"But four years ago my last child was four or five, and I began to feel a growing need to feel more enthusiastic. I knew I wanted a job but didn't have the vaguest idea what."

She took a career planning course at the company where she now works. She realized she had skills in research, analysis, organization and communication.

Many women acquire skills in their volunteer work but don't give themselves credit because they didn't get paid, she says.

When she first talked about going back to work, her husband, Gerald, 48, encouraged her but didn't think she was ambitious for a career.

"It wasn't easy," Marjorie says. "The first time I came home later than he did, he said we couldn't have this, that the home came first.

"At first it was difficult to grasp. After all, I didn't have to work. I had a nice life. He may have wondered, 'What more do you want? Isn't this enough?'

"I think it may have brought up some resentment and fear in asking: 'Is she going to let a career come between us and our marriage?'"

They are adjusting, and Marjorie thinks their marriage is stronger for it.

"I feel for the first time in years that I am a peer. I absolutely glory in knowing that I am an independent person," she says.

"If I want to walk out, I can walk out. I think that's something every woman should feel.

"You wake up and you're suddenly financially independent. You don't need a husband to survive. I think our marriage is better."

Marjorie is usually up by 6 a.m., works long hours and occasional nights and weekends. She doesn't have much vacation. Gone are the days, she says, "when I was home at 6 p.m., perfumed and waiting."

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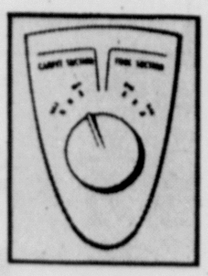

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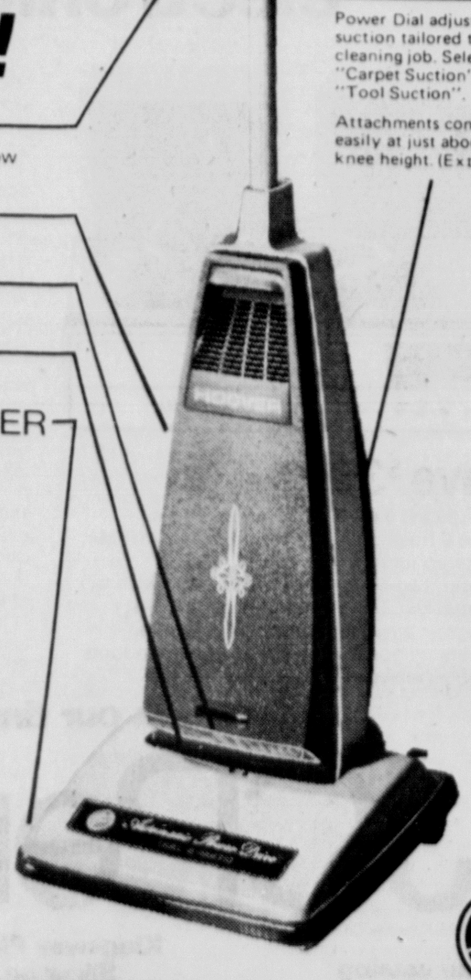

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Pope Pauls says motherhood is woman's role

VATICAN CITY (AP) — Pope Paul VI today cautioned women to be on their guard against movements for equality that run the risk of "virilizing" and "depersonalizing" them.

Vatican observers said the pontiff's remarks were aimed at women's liberation movements, in Italy as elsewhere, advocating divorce, abortion and promiscuity.

While men and women are equal, or should be if they are not, the pontiff stated that women's "essential" role is motherhood, "that ... of preparing the generations of tomorrow."

"The equalization of rights must not degenerate into an egalitarian and impersonal leveling," the pontiff said in an address to his Commission on the Role of women in the Church and Society and to the Committee for International Women's Year.

"Egalitarianism, which is blindly pushed forward by our materialistic society,is little concerned with the specific welfare of persons and contrary to appearances,it takes no notice of what is suitable and what is not suitable for women," the Pope said.

"It thereby runs the risk of either virilizing women or depersonalizing them. Inboth cases,it does violence to women's depest qualities."

Coalesce Club schedules style show March 8

An evening of cards plus the latest in fashion from the Elite Shop describes the 11th annual Coalesce Club fashion show.

The fashion show will be held at 7:30 p.m. March 8 at the Ramada Inn. A main door prize of a side of beef will be given away and the evening will feature a full hour of modeled fashions, entertainment and numerous door prizes. Card games will follow.

Organized in September 1949, the Coalesce Club is pledged to helping others. The proceeds from the fashion show this year will go to support the Child Development Center, Heritage House, local Diabetic Association, Homemaker's Award to a graduating senior and Girl Scout campership. In addition,the club sets up a special fund for needy families or organizations that may have a request during the year.

Tickets may be obtained from any Coalesce Club member, the Elite Shop, or ticket chairwoman, Mrs. Sally Ahlvin, at telephone 471-8786. The pubic is asked to purchase the tickets in advance, as there will be limited seating available.

Getting married?

The Daily Standard, 205 S. New Madrid St., now has new wedding forms available at the front office or at the women's desk. Business hours are from 7 a.m., to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday. Forms will be mailed if a self-addressed, stamped envelope is provided.

The deadline for weddings is three weeks after date of wedding. Pictures will be returned if a self-addressed, stamped envelope large enough to hold a picture is supplied. Color pictures are discouraged. There is no charge for running a wedding.We are happy to publish it.

Jackie Schoeneman
Women's Editor

Household hints

By CECILY BROWNSTONE
Associated Press Food Editor

SATURDAY REFRESHER
Assorted Sandwiches
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1 pint lemon sherbet
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Good brunch: Soften canned or thawed frozen tortillas in a skillet in a little fat; top with fried eggs and tomato sauce enlivened with slivers of sweet onion and green pepper.

Ann Landers

Hostess may have egg on her face

Dear Ann Landers: For several months my husband and I have been plannin a party for 20 couples. We mailed the invitations a month in advance with an insert requesting "RSVP."

It is now seven days before the party. Eight couples have not been heard from. So we are expecting 12 couples. If 16 extra people show up, it will make a big difference. We will have no placecards for them and not enough food.

How should we act toward those who did not RSVP if they show up anyway? How about the ones who didn't even bother to respond and stay home?

Please give us some guidance. We are -- Freaked Out By "Friends"

Dear Freaked: Accept the sad fact that there are a given percentage of disorganized dames in this world who just can't get it all together. Add to this eternal verity a postal service that is less than perfect.

Painful though it may be, the hostess should telephone those who haven't been able to get the lead out, and ask them, "May we expect you, or not? We haven't heard." The head count should be made at least one week in advance of the party or the hostess will wind up with egg on her face, not the clods who didn't R SVP.

Dear Ann Landers: For the last three months my husband has been nagging me for permission to sleep with another woman, "just once--to see what it's like." We were married young and are now in our late 60s. I've told him repeatedly that I would never agree to such a thing. Last night he started in again. I finally said, "All right, but I want the same privilege." He got so mad he almost struck me.

Should I give him permission just to keep peace? Please advise. -- Torn At 67

Dear Torn: No -- but he'll probably do it anyway if he has his mind set on it. Or he WON'T do it because all he can do is talk.

Dear Ann Landers: I'd like to say a few words to the heartsick mother who had a lump in her throat for a week before she finally wrote to you. It seems her brilliant son, a graduate student in psychology, wrote a paper about his family background and she ran across it accidentally.

He referred to his parents as "arrogant" and "ignorant" and criticized them for pretending to know everything. The poor woman was in a state of shock when she wrote and turned to you for solace. Your response was wonderfully kind and reassuring. Now I'd like to tell her of MY experience.

Our daughter did something similar, only it was a high school English "autobiography." The thing was 10 pages long and she actually handed it to me to read. I was shaken when I finished reading it. It contained several misleading statements, and some terrible lies.

I asked her why in the world she wrote such an outrageous paper. Her answer: "I wanted to make it interesting. The truth about my family life is none of the professor's darned business."

I hope my experience helps that unhappy mother. It certainly was an eye-opener for me. -- What Will They Think Of Next?

Dear What?: I don't know, but I hope it's better than what they thought of last. Pretty poor performances on both counts.

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Girl Scout cookies available

Girl Scout cookies are still available. Anyone not previously contacted or who wants additional cookies, should contact Mrs. Karen Moore at telephone number, 471-0804 or Mrs. Sara MacLaughlin at telephone number, 471-6056.

Pope Pauls says motherhood is woman's role

VATICAN CITY (AP) — Pope Paul VI today cautioned women to be on their guard against movements for equality that run the risk of "virilizing" and "depersonalizing" them.

Vatican observers said the pontiff's remarks were aimed at women's liberation movements, in Italy as elsewhere, advocating divorce, abortion and promiscuity.

While men and women are equal, or should be if they are not, the pontiff stated that women's "essential" role is motherhood, "that ... of preparing the generations of tomorrow."

"The equalization of rights must not degenerate into an egalitarian and impersonal leveling," the pontiff said in an address to his Commission on the Role of women in the Church and Society and to the Committee for International Women's Year.

"Egalitarianism, which is blindly pushed forward by our materialistic society,is little concerned with the specific welfare of persons and contrary to appearances,it takes no notice of what is suitable and what is not suitable for women," the Pope said.

"It thereby runs the risk of either virilizing women or depersonalizing them. Inboth cases,it does violence to women's depest qualities."

Coalesce Club schedules style show March 8

An evening of cards plus the latest in fashion from the Elite Shop describes the 11th annual Coalesce Club fashion show.

The fashion show will be held at 7:30 p.m. March 8 at the Ramada Inn. A main door prize of a side of beef will be given away and the evening will feature a full hour of modeled fashions, entertainment and numerous door prizes. Card games will follow.

Organized in September 1949, the Coalesce Club is pledged to helping others. The proceeds from the fashion show this year will go to support the Child Development Center, Heritage House, local Diabetic Association, Homemaker's Award to a graduating senior and Girl Scout campership. In addition,the club sets up a special fund for needy families or organizations that may have a request during the year.

Tickets may be obtained from any Coalesce Club member, the Elite Shop, or ticket chairwoman, Mrs. Sally Ahlvin, at telephone 471-8786. The pubic is asked to purchase the tickets in advance, as there will be limited seating available.

Getting married?

The Daily Standard, 205 S. New Madrid St., now has new wedding forms available at the front office or at the women's desk. Business hours are from 7 a.m., to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday. Forms will be mailed if a self-addressed, stamped envelope is provided.

The deadline for weddings is three weeks after date of wedding. Pictures will be returned if a self-addressed, stamped envelope large enough to hold a picture is supplied. Color pictures are discouraged. There is no charge for running a wedding.We are happy to publish it.

Jackie Schoeneman
Women's Editor

Household hints

By CECILY BROWNSTONE
Associated Press Food Editor

SATURDAY REFRESHER
Assorted Sandwiches
Grape Lemon Sherbet
Beverage

GRAPE LEMON SHERBET

1 pint lemon sherbet
1½ cups grape juice
½ cup grape preserves
2 tablespoons grated lemon rind

Let sherbet soften slightly in refrigerator; turn into an electric blender with grape juice and preserves and lemon rind. Blend on low speed until thoroughly mixed; do not let sherbet melt completely. Turn into ice-cube tray without partitions. Freeze until firm. Makes 6 servings.

PLEASANT LUNCH
Tomato Soup
Cheese Triangles
Fruit Salad Beverage

CHEESE TRIANGLES

For cooks who enjoy rolling out and cutting dough.

2-3rds cup flour, stir to aerate before measuring
¼ cup enriched cornmeal
½ teaspoon salt
¾ teaspoon instant minced onion
¼ cup butter or margarine
½ cup grated cheddar cheese
1 egg yolk beaten with 3 tablespoons milk
1 egg white, slightly beaten

Stir together flour, cornmeal, salt and onion. Cut in butter fine; stir in cheese. Add yolk mixture, mixing well. If necessary, add a little more milk to hold dough together. Turn out on a prepared pastry cloth and knead gently a few times. Roll out to form a 12 by 9 inch rectangle. Cut into 3-inch squares; cut each square diagonally in half. Place on ungreased cookie sheet; prick well with a fork. Brush with egg white. Bake in a preheated 450-degree oven until golden brown — 7 to 9 minutes. Makes 2 dozen.

Good brunch: Soften canned or thawed frozen tortillas in a skillet in a little fat; top with fried eggs and tomato sauce enlivened with slivers of sweet onion and green pepper.

Ann Landers

Hostess may have egg on her face

Dear Ann Landers: For several months my husband and I have been plannin a party for 20 couples. We mailed the invitations a month in advance with an insert requesting "RSVP."

It is now seven days before the party. Eight couples have not been heard from. So we are expecting 12 couples. If 16 extra people show up, it will make a big difference. We will have no placecards for them and not enough food.

How should we act toward those who did not RSVP if they show up anyway? How about the ones who didn't even bother to respond and stay home?

Please give us some guidance. We are -- Freaked Out By "Friends"

Dear Freaked: Accept the sad fact that there are a given percentage of disorganized dames in this world who just can't get it all together. Add to this eternal verity a postal service that is less than perfect.

Painful though it may be, the hostess should telephone those who haven't been able to get the lead out, and ask them, "May we expect you, or not? We haven't heard." The head count should be made at least one week in advance of the party or the hostess will wind up with egg on her face, not the clods who didn't R SVP.

Dear Ann Landers: For the last three months my husband has been nagging me for permission to sleep with another woman, "just once--to see what it's like." We were married young and are now in our late 60s. I've told him repeatedly that I would never agree to such a thing. Last night he started in again. I finally said, "All right, but I want the same privilege." He got so mad he almost struck me.

Should I give him permission just to keep peace? Please advise. -- Torn At 67

Dear Torn: No -- but he'll probably do it anyway if he has his mind set on it. Or he WON'T do it because all he can do is talk.

Dear Ann Landers: I'd like to say a few words to the heartsick mother who had a lump in her throat for a week before she finally wrote to you. It seems her brilliant son, a graduate student in psychology, wrote a paper about his family background and she ran across it accidentally.

He referred to his parents as "arrogant" and "ignorant" and criticized them for pretending to know everything. The poor woman was in a state of shock when she wrote and turned to you for solace. Your response was wonderfully kind and reassuring. Now I'd like to tell her of MY experience.

Our daughter did something similar, only it was a high school English "autobiography." The thing was 10 pages long and she actually handed it to me to read. I was shaken when I finished reading it. It contained several misleading statements, and some terrible lies.

I asked her why in the world she wrote such an outrageous paper. Her answer: "I wanted to make it interesting. The truth about my family life is none of the professor's darned business."

I hope my experience helps that unhappy mother. It certainly was an eye-opener for me. -- What Will They Think Of Next?

Dear What?: I don't know, but I hope it's better than what they thought of last. Pretty poor performances on both counts.

Are your parents too strict? Hard to reach? Ann Landers's booklet, "Bugged By Parents? How to Get More Freedom," could help you bridge the generation gap. Send 50 cents in coin with your request and a long, stamped, self-addressed envelope to Ann Landers, P. O. Box 1400, Elgin, Ill. 60120.

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Effie Boyd, New Madrid
Vern Upshaw, Cairo, Ill.
Robin Hood, Sikeston
Elaine Hailey and baby boy, East Prairie
Harold Smith, Sikeston
Thomas Cave, East Prairie
Amy Tidwell, Kewanee
Samuel Pharris, Sikeston
William D. Wisner Jr., Sikeston
Mrs. Vadac Strayhorn and baby boy, East Prairie
William Dobbs, Vanduser
Vella Applewhite, Sikeston
Winnie LaFerney, Portageville
Richard Webbl, Lilbourn
Catherine Tubbs, Bell City
Paul Barnes, Vanduser
Grover Abernathy, Sikeston
Ezel Tucker, New Madrid
Carleton Lucas, East Prairie
Effie Thurman, Sikeston
Patricia Ahart, Sikeston
Amy Childers, Blodgett
Ruth Wasson, Sikeston
Annie Simmons, Sikeston

DEXTER MEMORIAL

Admitted:
Shannon White, Bernie
Floyd Isaac, Puxico
Renauta Davis, Dexter
Released:
Ecil Stephens, Dexter
Roy Parker, Dexter
William McKenzie, Bell City
Martha Schneider, Dexter
Ingrid Williamson, Essex

CHAFFEE GENERAL

Admitted:
Nora Dirnberger, Benton
Patricia Harris, Benton
Leon Huff, Lutesville
Martha Johnston, Scott City
Nancy Simmons, Cape Girardeau
Released:
James Bowman, Illmo
Hope Chapman, Chaffee
Ada Elledge, Lutesville
Terry Lee, Chaffee
Ann Moore, St. Marys
Jane Rhodes, Glenallen
Donna Wosley, Scott City

PEMISCOT MEMORIAL

Admitted:
Regue Reed, Hayti
Shirley Mitchell, Hayti
Richard Martin, Hayti
Jerry Crouch, Hayti
Bernice Banks, Hayti
Vicki Elliott, Caruthersville
James Greenway, Steele
Velma Loury, Steele
Bartley Sims, Sikeston
Victoria Malone, Portageville
Robert Carter, New Madrid
Charlie Harris, Marston
Herman Snellings, Lilbourn
Released:
Bertha Hampton, Hayti
Hilda Meek, Hayti
Leslie Sides, Hayti
James Pate, Hayti
Burnett Henry, Hayti
James Covington, Hayti
Floyd Wilks, Caruthersville
Emma Adams, Caruthersville
Mary Morgan, Caruthersville
James Medlin, Caruthersville
Parker Manners, Caruthersville
Hattie Lyell, Kennett
Helen Christy, Steele
Louis Gestring, Steele
Ray Lumpkins, Steele
O.K. Hatley, Wardell
Bernice Brashear and baby boy, Portageville
Kathy Jarnigan, Marston

SOUTHEAST MISSOURI

Released:
James Gloth, Chaffee
Mrs. Oris Thorn, Dexter
Mrs. B.J. Rooker, New Madrid
Ella Blanchard, Scott City
Juanita Lindsey, Kennett
Edward Baker, Illmo
Heather Waddle, Chaffee
Fred Lucey, Benton
Mrs. Lonnie Stubenrauch, Illmo
Mary Biggs, Illmo
Mrs. Lave Throop, Sikeston
Wesley Hawley, Chaffee
Claud Berry, East Prairie

ST. FRANCIS

Released:
Forest Adkisson, East Prairie
Leslie Arington, East Prairie
Charley Bisher, East Prairie
Woodrow Hawkins, Sikeston
Kendal Mouser, Dexter
Vivian Rogers, Bloomfield
Nancy Chandler, Charleston
Dorothy Fowler, Scott City
Marilyn Johnson, Morley
Angela Judd, Illmo
Nina Wilson, Dexter

MARRIAGES

NEW MADRID — Ten marriages were recorded in January in the office of Robert B. Hedgepeth, New Madrid County recorder of deeds.

Lanny Roseman, 25, and Deborah Jo Baker, 20, of New Madrid were married Dec. 31 in Portageville by Judge John R. Bailey.

Charles Edward Kinsey, 25, of Catron and Sharon Kay Howard, 27, of Parma were married Dec. 31 in Parma by the Rev. George R. South.

Steven Lynn Richardson, 25, of Gideon and Janet Darlene Ellsworth, 19, of Holcomb were married Dec. 31 at Huie Baptist Mission by the Rev. Paul Starnes.

Walter Jackson Jr., 20, and Mattie Lee Wiley, 19, of Howardville were married Jan. 2 in Howardville by the Rev. Charlie Bell.

Richard Eugene Bodi Jr., 23, of New Madrid and Darlene Kay Rodgers, 18, of Essex were married Jan. 9 in New Madrid by the Rev. Edward L. Watkins.

James Richard Pierson, 28, and Linda Susan Chappell, 21, of New Madrid were married Jan. 10 in New Madrid by the Rev. Robert Burnes.

Mauri Hays, 18, and Dianne Garrison, 18, of Portageville were married Jan. 10 in Portageville by the Rev. Loyd J. Ice.

Gary Max Rowland, 27, of Parma and Shirley Ann Patterson, 22, of Risco were married Jan. 10 in Risco by the Rev. Gene Lancaster.

Gary Frank Baker, 28, of Macon, Ill., and Connie Marie Collins, 18, of Matthews were married Jan. 12 in Matthews by the Rev. Dewey Dumas.

Stephen Wilson Ray, 24, of Conran and Patricia Darlene Davis, 25, of Marston were married Jan. 16 in Conran by the Rev. John Little.

MAGISTRATE COURT

NEW MADRID — Carl Parks of Malden waived a preliminary hearing on burglary and larceny charges before Judge John R. Bailey and was bound over for trial in Circuit Court under $500 bond.

Parks is accused of breaking into the home of his father-in-law, Dick Evans, near Parma and stealing three rifles.

Clifford Warner and Jerry Roikes of Marston were ordered held for Circuit Court trial on burglary and larceny charges after each waived a preliminary hearing. Warner was placed under $500 bond, and $5,000 bond was set for Roikes.

They are accused of burglarizing the home of Joe Reeves near Marston and the theft of household furnishings

Misdemeanor cases

Michael Patrick Stewart, driving with blood alcohol content of .10 per cent or more by weight, fined $75; Pat Lee Staggs, littering highway, $25 fine stayed, upon payment of $15 costs and allowed one week to pay costs; Danny Wheeler, fishing commercially without a permit, fined $25; and Shelby Barker, fishing with untagged trammel net, fined $55.

Joe H. Van Pelt, careless and imprudent driving, failed to appear in court, $35 bond forfeited; Johnny Coleman Walls Jr., careless and imprudent driving, fined $25; James Dewayne Bray, driving while intoxicated and speeding, fined $165; Billy Ray McWhirter, failure to transfer vehicle license fined $20; and Harry Loran Glass, careless and imprudent driving, fined $25.

Speeding fines

Harold Hamilton, $57; Larry Carl Coleman, $44; Pamela Jeanne Baker and Humphrey Ware Micon, $39 each; David Elmer Dillingham and Nowell Gean Heaton, $35 each; Norman Wolfisch, failed to appear in court, $35 bond forfeited; Robert Francis Wallace, $31; Timothy Joseph Overby, $29; Madelon Jo Fisher, $24, stayed upon payment of $15 costs; and I. K. Douglas, $19, stayed upon payment of $15 costs.

Civil case

Hedrick Concrete Products Corp. was awarded a $25.18 judgment, plus $17 costs and interest from Dec. 31, 1975, in a suit on account against William T. Little, doing business as Triangle Concrete Co.

MAGISTRATE COURT

BENTON — Twenty cases were heard Wednesday in Scott County Magistrate Court before Judge Lloyd G. Briggs.

Joseph Wesley Howard, driving while intoxicated and driving while revoked, six months in the county jail on each charge, to run concurrently.

Jerry Lee Summers, possession of less than 35 grams of marijuana, allowed to withdraw not guilty plea and plead guilty, 30 days in the county jail.

Wayne Lee Harris, burglary and stealing, pleaded not guilty, motion for mental examination was granted and court ordered him transported to Fulton State Hospital for a mental examination, bond set at $2,500.

Billy Ray Henshaw, driving while intoxicated and failure to display certificate of inspection, imposition of sentence deferred for one year.

Boyce Wayne Church, driving while intoxicated, imposition of sentence deferred one year.

Elizabeth Ann Lewis, Jon Stephen Deckard and Richard Ray Reeves, possession of less than 35 grams of marijuana, imposition of sentence deferred one year.

Billy Dee Wyatt, public intoxication, imposition of sentence deferred for 10 days.

Donald brown, tampering with a motor vehicle and leaving the scene of an accident, continued till further order of the court.

Continued to Feb. 11

Doyle Stokes, tampering with a motor vehicle and common assault, and Jimmy Hicks, breaking and entering, attorney appointed.

Continued to Feb. 18

Marvin Jewell Baker, armed robbery; Howard Powell, four counts of no account check; David Lee Winston, failure to stop for red lights and siren and speeding; Jerry Haynes, speeding, continued for final disposition.

Continued to March 3

Sophia Sauceda, no operator's license.

Fines

Guy Stephen Biler, speeding, $15; John Gerald Campbell, speeding, $90; and Delmar Elwood Reynolds, public intoxication, $25.

Written pleas

Paying fines for speeding after entering guilty written pleas were: Ollis Ray Smith, $5; Randy Donald Board, $5; James Garfield Boyd, $15; David bradley, $10; Daniel Gayle Dicillo, $5; Walter Earl Garrett, $10; Robert Thomas Grayson, $15; Ford Phillips, $5; Lillie E. Ray, $10; Earl Sloan, $25; Gary Randall Watson, $10; Jessie L. Smoot, $15; Grady Lee Raymond, $10; Frank Sam Hambra, $25; Jon Palmer Guirl, $15; Richard Antoine Cowlishaw, $15; Ollis Ray Smith, $5; and Lucille Camp, $5.

MARRIAGES

BENTON — Twenty-eight marriages were recorded during January in the office of Scott County Recorder John Bollinger.

Gary Lee Davis, 17, and Linda Diane Ryan, 17, of Sikeston were married Dec. 26 in Sikeston by Judge Lloyd G. Briggs.

Olian Lee Pigg, 40, and Marion Faye Pigg, 37, of Sikeston were married Dec. 28 in Sikeston by the Rev. Everett P. Taylor.

William Edgar Hicks, 66, and Freda Juanita Pettit, 60, of Perkins were married Dec. 31 in Advance by the Rev. Eugene Payne.

Larry Hershell VanPool, 20, and Carol Dean Northcott, 19, of Sikeston were married Dec. 31 in Sikeston by the Rev. Edward Kinder.

Charles Leland Blumenberg, 28, and Cheryl Faye Blumenberg, 26, of Sikeston were married Dec. 31 in Sikeston by the Rev. Lee J. True.

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Walter Jerome Wilson, 29, and April Kathleen Hinrichs, 18, of Sikeston were married Jan. 3 in Sikeston by the Rev. Luther King.

Thomas Arthur McCord II, 24, of Jonesboro, Ark., and Julann Tanner, 21, of Sikeston were married Jan. 3 in Sikeston by Dr. Arthur C. Fulbright.

Robert Earl Perkins, 23, and Kathryn Sue Scott, 25, of Scott City were married Jan. 3 in Scott City by the Rev. York Owen.

Joseph Anthony Vogel, 54, of Oran and Mary Anne Hamilton, 44, of Kevil, Ky., were married Jan. 3 in Oran by the Rev. Richard Reiwing.

Edward Cleo Nail, 24, of Benton and Jane Idell Brown, 19, of Delta were married Dec. 27 in East Prairie by the Rev. Harrison Brack.

David Joseph Gilpin, 21, of Illmo and Kay Francis Messmer, 19, of Scott City were married Jan. 10 in Scott City by the Rev. Thomas E. Allen.

Jessie Lee Simpson, 23, of Morehouse and Linda Fay Jones, 26, of Sikeston were married Jan. 10 in Sikeston by the Rev. C. Conrad Corrigan.

Rickie Eugene Jolliff, 19, and Susan Elizabeth Sherrod, 18, of Sikeston were married Jan. 9 in Sikeston by the Rev. T. A. McDonough.

William Calvin, 29, and Essie Mae Williamson, 29, of Sikeston were married Jan. 9 in Sikeston by the Rev. Frank Jones.

Robert Ernest Sherman Jr., 26, of Cape Girardeau and Terry Yvonne Smith, 20, of Chaffee were married Jan. 10 in Chaffee by the Rev. James L. Murphy Jr.

Donnie Richard Nance, 25, of Kewanee and Rita Faye Pigg, 19, of Sikeston were married Jan. 11 in Matthews by the Rev. Douglas Alan Downs.

Walter Alan Foster, 21, and Shelia Kay Pigg, 15, of Sikeston were married Jan. 11 in Matthews by the Rev. Douglas Alan Downs.

Odell L. Henry, 27, and Maryln V. Walker, 19, of Bell City were married Dec. 6 in Bell City by the Rev. J. C. Pullen.

R. G. Bivens, 45, of Sikeston and Clara Janice McIntyre, 29, of Oran were married Jan. 17 in Chaffee by the Rev. Ernest Lee.

Lawrence Dean Gardner, 22, and Velda Mae Bailey, 34, of Sikeston were married Jan. 17 in Sikeston by the Rev. Tommy Kidd.

Hershel Lavard Prince, 42, and Maxine Garnita Moore, 47, of Chaffee were married Jan. 17 in New Madrid by the Rev. James A. Balden.

Wayne Joseph Chapman, 31, and Darla Janette Glastetter, 24, of Chaffee were married Jan. 17 in Chaffee by the Rev. Raymond Kunkel.

Melvin Crosier Young, 41, and Patricia Ann McGehee, 31, of Sikeston were married Jan. 17 in Sikeston by the Rev. Jimmie Edmondson.

Bernard Lynn Britt, 22, and Karla Jean Dixon, 21, of Sikeston were married Jan. 3 in Sikeston by the Rev. Eugene L. Tarter.

John Edward Penrose, 24, of Benton and Deloma Carol Miederhoff, 26, of Morehouse were married Jan. 23 in Morehouse by the Rev. A. C. Sullivant.

Daniel Ray Minks, 29, of Cape Girardeau and Paula Carol Kester, 25, of Scott City were married Jan. 25 in Cape Girardeau by the Rev. Louis H. Launhardt.

Richard A. Dale, 25, of Caruthersville and Myrtle Lois Brewer, 19, of Sikeston were married Dec. 28 in Kewanee by the Rev. Kenneth E. Gibson.

James Edward Spurlin, 17, and Janice Carol Sloan, 28, of Sikeston were married Jan. 27 in Morehouse by the Rev. A. C. Sullivant.

PROBATE COURT

BENTON — Cases heard by Judge John Sides in Scott County Probate Court during the last week included:

Harry C. Blanton, also known as H. C. Blanton, deceased: Final settlement approved.

Final settlement, filed Jan. 8 by Henry Joseph Cullen Blanton and James Patrick Tlapek, executors, was examined and approved by the court and distribution was ordered.

Allen Lynn Johnson, a minor: Annual settlement.

Eunice S. Warren, guardian, presented her accounts and vouchers for annual settlement, which the court examined, approved, ordered filed and recorded.

John William Tyler, deceased: Inventory filed and recorded.

Bobby Wayne Tyler, administrator, presented his inventory and appraisment, which the court examined, approved, ordered filed and recorded.

Mary Ann Neece, a minor: Annual settlement.

Maxine Neece, guardian, presented her accounts and vouchers for annual settlement, which the court examined, approved, ordered filed and recorded.

James Osby Brewer, deceased: Final settlement filed.

James R. Robison, executor, presented his final settlement, which the court examined and ordered filed.

Darrell Lynn Burns, a minor: Annual settlement.

Henry A. Burnes, guardian, presented his accounts and vouchers for annual settlement, which the court examined, approved, ordered filed and recorded.

Cosetta Allen, deceased: Demand filed.

Louise R. Sparks, representing L. R. Sparks Funeral Home Inc., presented her claim for services in the amount of $1,626.20, which the curt examined and ordered filed.

Raymond Elkins, deceased: Final settlement approved and executor ordered discharged.

Final settlement, filed Jan. 13 by L. A. Lyons, executor, was examined and approved by the court, and the executor was further ordered discharged.

Elsie Anderson, deceased: Final settlement filed.

Luella Armstrong, administratrix, presented her final settlement, which the court examined and ordered filed.

Nora Lambert, deceased: Final settlement filed.

Alfred A. Lambert and Roe Walter, administrators, presented their final settlement which the court examined and ordered filed.

Claire H. Stauffer, deceased: Final settlement filed.

Jean Blackman and Howard Stuffer, executors, presented their final settlement which the court examined and ordered filed.

Rose Proffer, deceased: Probate of will and appointment of executrix.

The court ordered probate of will and appointed Rosemary Proffer Littleton as executrix of the estate.

Alma Dean Isaacs, deceased: Finding and order discharging administrator.

The court, having found distribution of estate had been made, ordered Leonard Campbell discharged as administrator.

The NCAA 1976 wrestling championships will be held March 11-13 in Tucson, Ariz.

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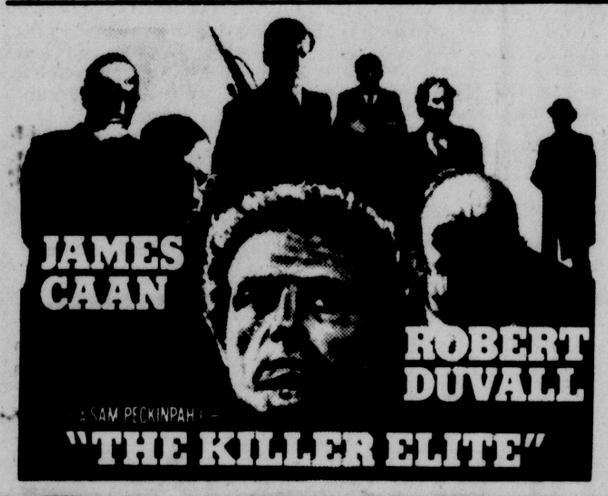

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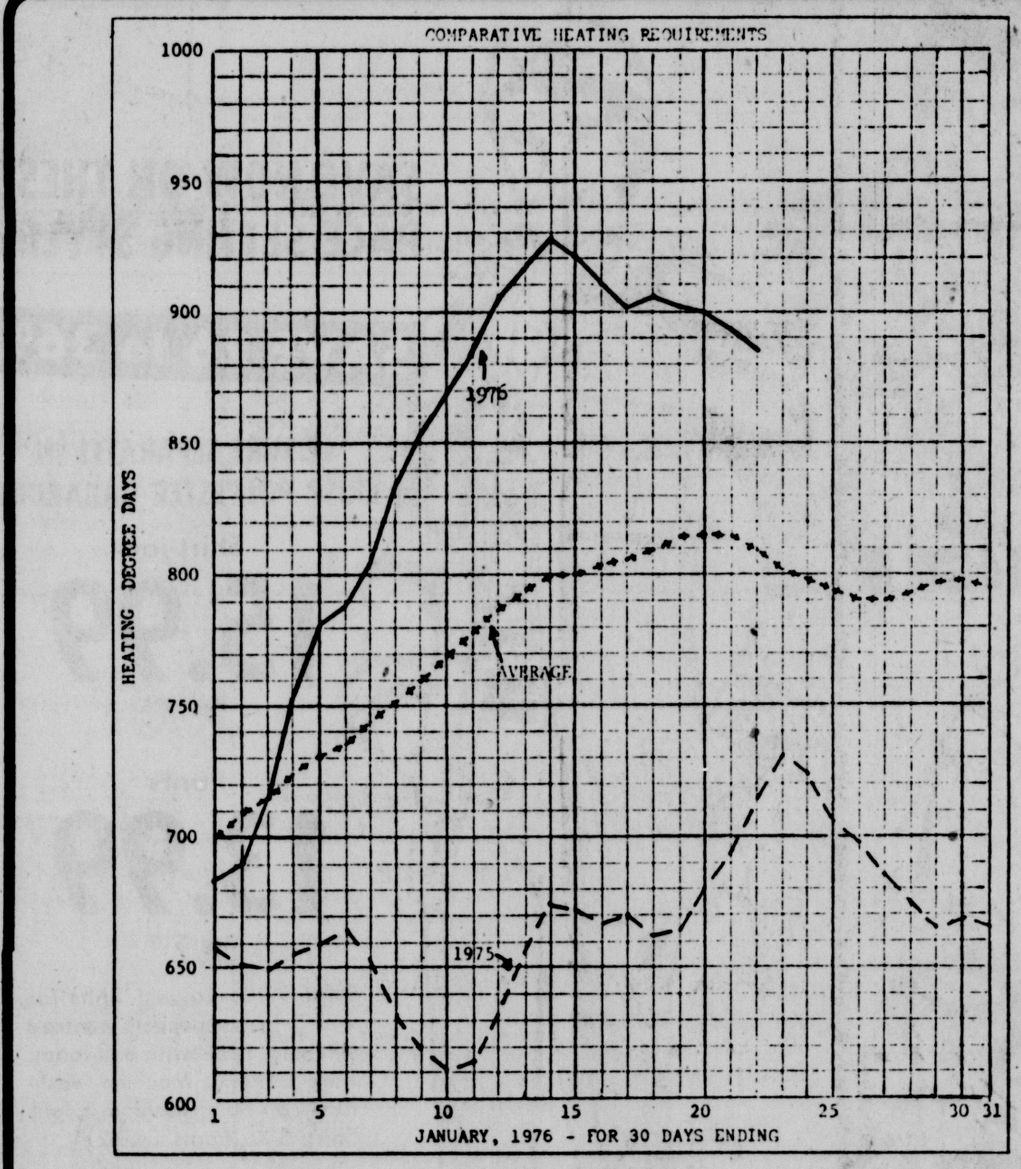

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HOSPITAL NOTES
MISSOURI DELTA

Released:
JoAnn Free, East Prairie
Katie Langley, Essex
Effie Boyd, New Madrid
Vern Upshaw, Cairo, Ill.
Robin Hood, Sikeston
Elaine Hailey and baby boy, East Prairie
Harold Smith, Sikeston
Thomas Cave, East Prairie
Amy Tidwell, Kewanee
Samuel Pharris, Sikeston
William D. Wisner Jr., Sikeston
Mrs. Vadac Strayhorn and baby boy, East Prairie
William Dobbs, Vanduser
Velia Applewhite, Sikeston
Winnie LaFerney, Portageville
Richard Webbl, Lilbourn
Catherine Tubbs, Bell City
Paul Barnes, Vanduser
Grover Abernathy, Sikeston
Ezel Tucker, New Madrid
Carleton Lucas, East Prairie
Effie Thurman, Sikeston
Patricia Ahart, Sikeston
Amy Childers, Blodgett
Ruth Wasson, Sikeston
Annie Simmons, Sikeston

DEXTER MEMORIAL

Admitted:
Shannon White, Bernie
Floyd Isaac, Puxico
Renauta Davis, Dexter
Released:
Ecil Stephens, Dexter
Roy Parker, Dexter
William McKenzie, Bell City
Martha Schneider, Dexter
Ingrid Williamson, Essex

CHAFFEE GENERAL

Admitted:
Nora Dirnberger, Benton
Patricia Harris, Benton
Leon Huff, Lutesville
Martha Johnston, Scott City
Nancy Simmons, Cape Girardeau
Released:
James Bowman, Illmo
Hope Chapman, Chaffee
Ada Elledge, Lutesville
Terry Lee, Chaffee
Ann Moore, St. Marys
Jane Rhodes, Glenallen
Donna Wosley, Scott City

PEMISCOT MEMORIAL

Admitted:
Regue Reed, Hayti
Shirley Mitchell, Hayti
Richard Martin, Hayti
Jerry Crouch, Hayti
Bernice Banks, Hayti
Vicki Elliott, Caruthersville
James Greenway, Steele
Velma Loury, Steele
Bartley Sims, Sikeston
Victoria Malone, Portageville
Robert Carter, New Madrid
Charlie Harris, Marston
Herman Snellings, Lilbourn
Released:
Bertha Hampton, Hayti
Hilda Meek, Hayti
Leslie Sides, Hayti
James Pate, Hayti
Burnett Henry, Hayti
James Covington, Hayti
Floyd Wilks, Caruthersville
Emma Adams, Caruthersville
Mary Morgan, Caruthersville
James Medlin, Caruthersville
Parker Manners, Caruthersville
Hattie Lyell, Kennett
Helen Christy, Steele
Louis Gestring, Steele
Ray Lumpkins, Steele
O.K. Hatley, Wardell
Bernice Brashear and baby boy, Portageville
Kathy Jarnigan, Marston

SOUTHEAST MISSOURI

Released:
James Gloth, Chaffee
Mrs. Oris Thorn, Dexter
Mrs. B.J. Rooker, New Madrid
Ella Blanchard, Scott City
Juanita Lindsey, Kennett
Edward Baker, Illmo
Heather Waddle, Chaffee
Fred Lucey, Benton
Mrs. Lonnie Stubenrauch, Illmo
Mary Biggs, Illmo
Mrs. Lave Throop, Sikeston
Wesley Hawley, Chaffee
Claud Berry, East Prairie

ST. FRANCIS

Released:
Forest Adkisson, East Prairie
Leslie Arington, East Prairie
Charley Bisher, East Prairie
Woodrow Hawkins, Sikeston
Kendal Mouser, Dexter
Vivian Rogers, Bloomfield
Nancy Chandler, Charleston
Dorothy Fowler, Scott City
Marilyn Johnson, Morley
Angela Judd, Illmo
Nina Wilson, Dexter

MARRIAGES

NEW MADRID — Ten marriages were recorded in January in the office of Robert B. Hedgepeth, New Madrid County recorder of deeds.

Lanny Roseman, 25, and Deborah Jo Baker, 20, of New Madrid were married Dec. 31 in Portageville by Judge John R. Bailey.

Charles Edward Kinsey, 25, of Catron and Sharon Kay Howard, 27, of Parma were married Dec. 31 in Parma by the Rev. George R. South.

Steven Lynn Richardson, 25, of Gideon and Janet Darlene Ellsworth, 19, of Holcomb were married Dec. 31 at Huie Baptist Mission by the Rev. Paul Starnes.

Walter Jackson Jr., 20, and Mattie Lee Wiley, 19, of Howardville were married Jan. 2 in Howardville by the Rev. Charlie Bell.

Richard Eugene Bodi Jr., 23, of New Madrid and Darlene Kay Rodgers, 18, of Essex were married Jan. 9 in New Madrid by the Rev. Edward L. Watkins.

James Richard Pierson, 28, and Linda Susan Chappell, 21, of New Madrid were married Jan. 10 in New Madrid by the Rev. Robert Burnes.

Mauri Hays, 18, and Dianne Garrison, 18, of Portageville were married Jan. 10 in Portageville by the Rev. Loyd J. Ice.

Gary Max Rowland, 27, of Parma and Shirley Ann Patterson, 22, of Risco were married Jan. 10 in Risco by the Rev. Gene Lancaster.

Gary Frank Baker, 28, of Macon, Ill., and Connie Marie Collins, 18, of Matthews were married Jan. 12 in Matthews by the Rev. Dewey Dumas.

Stephen Wilson Ray, 24, of Conran and Patricia Darlene Davis, 25, of Marston were married Jan. 16 in Conran by the Rev. John Little.

MAGISTRATE COURT

NEW MADRID — Carl Parks of Malden waived a preliminary hearing on burglary and larceny charges before Judge John R. Bailey and was bound over for trial in Circuit Court under $500 bond.

Parks is accused of breaking into the home of his father-in-law, Dick Evans, near Parma and stealing three rifles.

Clifford Warner and Jerry Roikes of Marston were ordered held for Circuit Court trial on burglary and larceny charges after each waived a preliminary hearing. Warner was placed under $500 bond, and $5,000 bond was set for Roikes.

They are accused of burglarizing the home of Joe Reeves near Marston and the theft of household furnishings

Misdemeanor cases

Michael Patrick Stewart, driving with blood alcohol content of .10 per cent or more by weight, fined $75; Pat Lee Staggs, littering highway, $25 fine stayed, upon payment of $15 costs and allowed one week to pay costs; Danny Wheeler, fishing commercially without a permit, fined $25; and Shelby Barker, fishing with untagged trammel net, fined $55.

Joe H. Van Pelt, careless and imprudent driving, failed to appear in court, $35 bond forfeited; Johnny Coleman Walls Jr., careless and imprudent driving, fined $25; James Dewayne Bray, driving while intoxicated and speeding, fined $165; Billy Ray McWhirter, failure to transfer vehicle license fined $20; and Harry Loran Glass, careless and imprudent driving, fined $25.

Speeding fines

Harold Hamilton, $57; Larry Carl Colemman, $44; Pamela Jeanne Baker and Humphrey Ware Micon, $39 each; David Elmer Dillingham and Nowell Gean Heaton, $35 each; Norman Wolfisch, failed to appear in court, $35 bond forfeited; Robert Francis Wallace, $31; Timothy Joseph Overby, $29; Madelon Jo Fisher, $24, stayed upon payment of $15 costs; and I. K. Douglas, $19, stayed upon payment of $15 costs.

Civil case

Hedrick Concrete Products Corp. was awarded a $25.18 judgment, plus $17 costs and interest from Dec. 31, 1975, in a suit on account against William T. Little, doing business as Triangle Concrete Co.

MAGISTRATE COURT

BENTON — Twenty cases were heard Wednesday in Scott County Magistrate Court before Judge Lloyd G. Briggs.

Joseph Wesley Howard, driving while intoxicated and driving while revoked, six months in the county jail on each charge, to run concurrently.

Jerry Lee Summers, possession of less than 35 grams of marijuana, allowed to withdraw not guilty plea and plead guilty, 30 days in the county jail.

Wayne Lee Harris, burglary and stealing, pleaded not guilty, motion for mental examination was granted and court ordered him transported to Fulton State Hospital for a mental examination, bond set at $2,500.

Billy Ray Henshaw, driving while intoxicated and failure to display certificate of inspection, imposition of sentence deferred for one year.

Boyce Wayne Church, driving while intoxicated, imposition of sentence deferred one year.

Elizabeth Ann Lewis, Jon Stephen Deckard and Richard Ray Reeves, possession of less than 35 grams of marijuana, imposition of sentence deferred one year.

Billy Dee Wyatt, public intoxication, imposition of sentence deferred for 10 days.

Donald brown, tampering with a motor vehicle and leaving the scene of an accident, continued till further order of the court.

Continued to Feb. 11

Doyle Stokes, tampering with a motor vehicle and common assault, and Jimmy Hicks, breaking and entering, attorney appointed.

Continued to Feb. 18

Marvin Jewell Baker, armed robbery; Howard Powell, four counts of no-account check; David Lee Winston, failure to stop for red lights and siren and speeding; Jerry Haynes, speeding, continued for final disposition.

Continued to March 3

Sophia Sauceda, no operator's license.

Fines

Guy Stephen Biler, speeding, $15; John Gerald Campbell, speeding, $90; and Delmar Elwood Reynolds, public intoxication, $25.

Written pleas

Paying fines for speeding after entering guilty written pleas were: Ollis Ray Smith, $5; Randy Donald Board, $5; James Garfield Boyd, $15; David bradley, $10; Daniel Gayle Dicillo, $5; Walter Earl Garrett, $10; Robert Thomas Grayson, $15; Ford Phillips, $5; Lillie E. Ray, $10; Earl Sloan, $25; Gary Randall Watson, $10; Jessie L. Smoot, $15; Grady Lee Raymond, $10; Frank Sam Hambra, $25; Jon Palmer Guirl, $15; Richard Antoine Cowlishaw, $15; Ollis Ray Smith, $5; and Lucille Camp, $5.

MARRIAGES

BENTON — Twenty-eight marriages were recorded during January in the office of Scott County Recorder John Bollinger.

Gary Lee Davis, 17, and Linda Diane Ryan, 17, of Sikeston were married Dec. 26 in Sikeston by Judge Lloyd G. Briggs.

Olian Lee Pigg, 40, and Marion Faye Pigg, 37, of Sikeston were married Dec. 28 in Sikeston by the Rev. Everett P. Taylor.

William Edgar Hicks, 66, and Freda Juanita Pettit, 60, of Perkins were married Dec. 31 in Advance by the Rev. Eugene Payne.

Larry Hershell VanPool, 20, and Carol Dean Northcott, 19, of Sikeston were married Dec. 31 in Sikeston by the Rev. Edward Kinder.

Charles Leland Blumenberg, 28, and Cheryl Faye Blumenberg, 26, of Sikeston were married Dec. 31 in Sikeston by the Rev. Lee J. True.

Walter Jerome Wilson, 29, and April Kathleen Hinrichs, 18, of Sikeston were married Jan. 3 in Sikeston by the Rev. Luther King.

Thomas Arthur McCord II, 24, of Jonesboro, Ark., and Juliann Tanner, 21, of Sikeston were married Jan. 3 in Sikeston by Dr. Arthur C. Fulbright.

Robert Earl Perkins, 23, and Kathryn Sue Scott, 25, of Scott City were married Jan. 3 in Scott City by the Rev. York Owen.

Joseph Anthony Vogel, 54, of Oran and Mary Anne Hamilton, 46, of Kevil, Ky., were married Jan. 3 in Oran by the Rev. Richard Rolwing.

Edward Cleo Nall, 24, of Benton and Jane Idell Brown, 19, of Delta were married Dec. 27 in East Prairie by the Rev. Harrison Brack.

David Joseph Gilpin, 21, of Illmo and Kay Francis Messmer, 19, of Scott City were married Jan. 10 in Scott City by the Rev. Thomas E. Allen.

Jessie Lee Simpson, 23, of Morehouse and Linda Fay Jones, 26, of Sikeston were married Jan. 10 in Sikeston by the Rev. C. Conrad Corrigan.

Rickie Eugene Jolliff, 19, and Susan Elizabeth Sherrod, 18, of Sikeston were married Jan. 9 in Sikeston by the Rev. T. A. McDonough.

William Calvin, 29, and Essie Mae Williamson, 29, of Sikeston were married Jan. 9 in Sikeston by the Rev. Frank Jones.

Robert Ernest Sherman Jr., 26, of Cape Girardeau and Terry Yvonne Smith, 20, of Chaffee were married Jan. 10 in Chaffee by the Rev. James L. Murphy Jr.

Donnie Richard Nance, 25, of Kewanee and Rita Faye Pigg, 19, of Sikeston were married Jan. 11 in Matthews by the Rev. Douglas Alan Downs.

Walter Alan Foster, 21, and Shelia Kay Pigg, 15, of Sikeston were married Jan. 11 in Matthews by the Rev. Douglas Alan Downs.

Odell L. Henry, 27, and Maryln V. Walker, 19, of Bell City were married Dec. 6 in Bell City by the Rev. J. C. Pullen.

R. G. Bivens, 45, of Sikeston and Clara Janice McIntyre, 29, of Oran were married Jan. 17 in Chaffee by the Rev. Ernest Lee.

Lawrence Dean Gardner, 22, and Velda Mae Bailey, 34, of Sikeston were married Jan. 17 in Sikeston by the Rev. Tommy Kidd.

Hershel Lavard Prince, 42, and Maxine Garnita Moore, 47, of Chaffee were married Jan. 17 in New Madrid by the Rev. James A. Balden.

Wayne Joseph Chapman, 31, and Darla Janette Glastetter, 24, of Chaffee were married Jan. 17 in Chaffee by the Rev. Raymond Kunkel.

Melvin Cresler Young, 41, and Patricia Ann McGehee, 31, of Sikeston were married Jan. 17 in Sikeston by the Rev. Jimmie Edmondson.

Bernard Lynn Britt, 22, and Karla Jean Dixon, 21, of Sikeston were married Jan. 3 in Sikeston by the Rev. Eugene L. Tarter.

John Edward Penrose, 24, of Benton and Deloma Carol Miederhoff, 26, of Morehouse were married Jan. 23 in Morehouse by the Rev. A. C. Sullivant.

Daniel Ray Minks, 29, of Cape Girardeau and Paula Carol Kester, 25, of Scott City were married Jan. 25 in Cape Girardeau by the Rev. Louis H. Launhardt.

Richard A. Dale, 25, of Caruthersville and Myrtle Lois Brewer, 19, of Sikeston were married Dec. 28 in Kewanee by the Rev. Kenneth E. Gibson.

James Edward Spurlin, 17, and Janice Carol Sloan, 28, of Sikeston were married Jan. 27 in Morehouse by the Rev. A. C. Sullivant.

PROBATE COURT

BENTON — Cases heard by Judge John Sides in Scott County Probate Court during the last week included:

Harry C. Blanton, also known as H. C. Blanton, deceased: Final settlement approved.

Final settlement, filed Jan. 8 by Henry Joseph Cullen Blanton and James Patrick Tlapek, executors, was examined and approved by the court and distribution was ordered.

Allen Lynn Johnson, a minor: Annual settlement.

Eunice S. Warren, guardian, presented her accounts and vouchers for annual settlement, which the court examined, approved, ordered filed and recorded.

John William Tyler, deceased: Inventory filed and recorded.

Bobby Wayne Tyler, administrator, presented his inventory and appraisment, which the court examined, approved, ordered filed and recorded.

Mary Ann Neece, a minor: Annual settlement.

Maxine Neece, guardian, presented her accounts and vouchers for annual settlement, which the court examined, approved, ordered filed and recorded.

James Osby Brewer, deceased: Final settlement filed.

James R. Robison, executor, presented his final settlement, which the court examined and ordered filed.

Darrell Lynn Burns, a minor: Annual settlement.

Henry A. Burnes, guardian, presented his accounts and vouchers for annual settlement, which the court examined, approved, ordered filed and recorded.

Cosetta Allen, deceased: Demand filed.

Louise R. Sparks, representing L. R. Sparks Funeral Home Inc., presented her claim for services in the amount of $1,626.20, which the curt examined and ordered filed.

Raymond Elkins, deceased: Final settlement approved and executor ordered discharged.

Final settlement, filed Jan. 13 by L. A. Lyons, executor, was examined and approved by the court, and the executor was further ordered discharged.

Elsie Anderson, deceased: Final settlement filed.

Luella Armstrong, administratrix, presented her final settlement, which the court examined and ordered filed.

Nora Lambert, deceased: Final settlement filed.

Alfred A. Lambert and Roe Walter, administrators, presented their final settlement which the court examined and ordered filed.

Claire H. Stauffer, deceased: Final settlement filed.

Jean Blackman and Howard Stuffer, executors, presented their final settlement which the court examined and ordered filed.

Rose Proffer, deceased: Probate of will and appointment of executrix.

The court ordered probate of will and appointed Rosemary Proffer Littleton as executrix of the estate.

Alma Dean Isaacs, deceased: Finding and order discharging administrator.

The court, having found distribution of estate had been made, ordered Leonard Campbell discharged as administrator.

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Just take a few minutes of your time on Saturday, February 7, 1976, and go to the Holiday Inn I-55 & US 60, Sikeston, Missouri between 1 p.m. and 8:30 p.m. and ask the Desk Clerk for J. H. Norton's room number.

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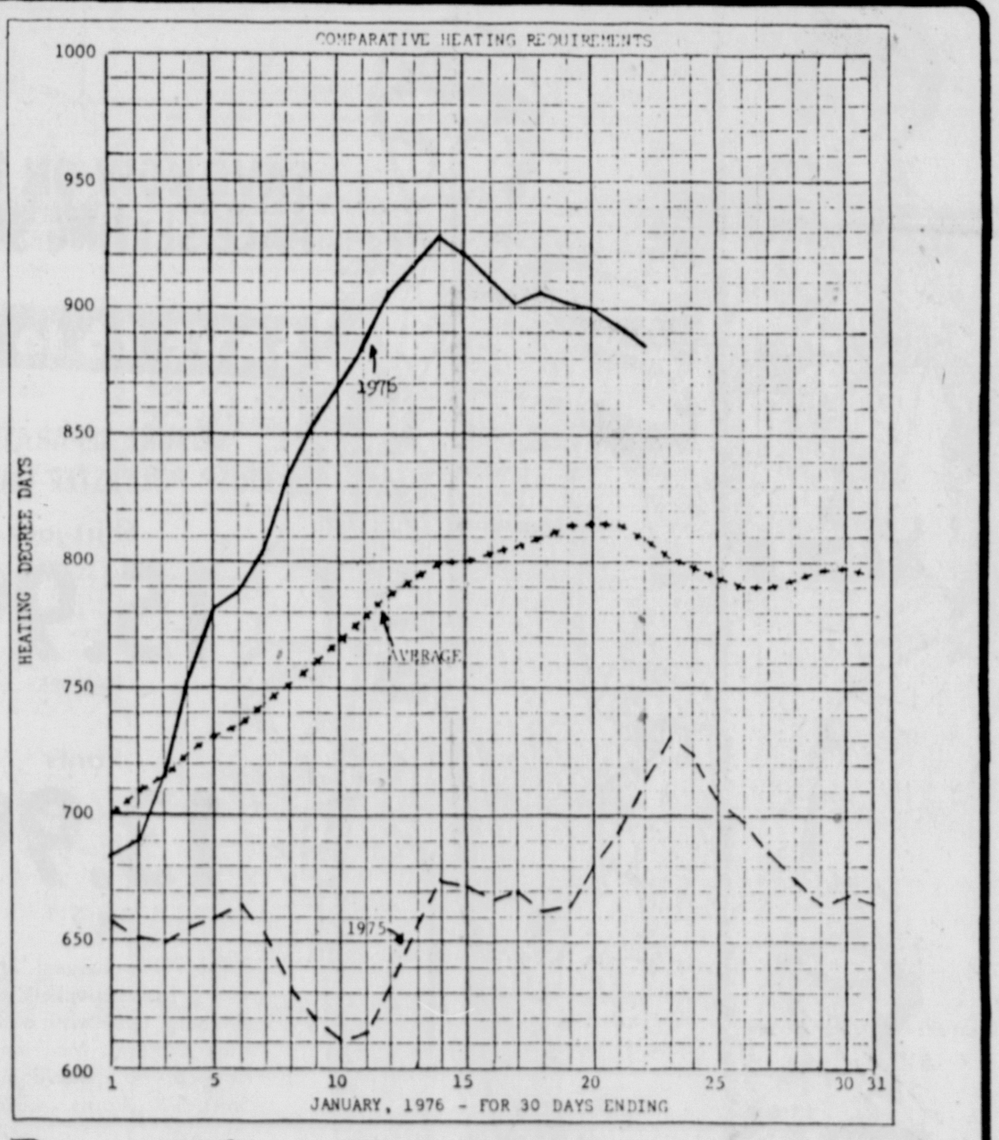

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LOCAL STOCKS

	BID	ASK
Anheuser Busch	35⅝	36⅜
Clinton Oil	1⅜	1⅝
Dollar General	10⅝	11¼
First Nat Bk of Sik	6	7
Jerrico	36¼	37
Martha Manning	1¾	2½
Noranda Mines	34¼	35
Pabst Brewing	24⅝	25⅛
Reliable Life	9	9¾
Sterling Stores	5¼	5¾
Wetterau	17⅞	18⅛

LISTED STOCKS

Allied Stores	49⅛
American Tel & Tel	55
American Motors	6¼
Chrysler	15⅜
Columbia Gas	26¾
Eaton Mfg	33⅜
Ford Motors	49⅞
General Motors	63¾
Interstate Brands	12⅜
Malone & Hyde	24¾
Mid South Util	15⅜
J. C. Penney	56½
Union Elect	14⅜
Occidental Pet	17¼
WalMart Stores	13¾

EDITOR'S NOTE: The bid price is the approximate price if one were a seller and the asked price is the approximate price if one were a buyer. These are listings at the close of the previous market.

Quotations furnished by Hugh T. McCollum, Registered Representative for Rowland and Co. 1405 East Malone. Phone 471-5350.

POLICE ARRESTS

Daniel Paul Wren, 237 Watson St., was arrested for stealing over $50 when he allegedly walked out of TG&Y Family Center with a $260 black and white television set, a transistor radio and a six-plug appliance outlet. The incident occurred at 5:30 p.m. Wednesday. Wren was caught in front of Osco Drug in Kingsway Plaza Mall.

Carroll A. Robertson, 1000 Ruth St., failing to yield the right of way.

Terry Wayne Davis, 301 Helen St., no driver's license.

Samuel Woodard, East Prairie, running stop sign.

Davide Lee Pound, 242 Daniel St., three counts of peace disturbance.

EMERGENCY PATIENTS

Accident patients treated and released Wednesday in the emergency room at Missouri Delta Community Hospital were:

Avis Jones, 41, Jackson, stepped on rusty nail; Lawrence Boley, 46, Sikeston, cut hand on storm door; Richard O'Donnell, 28, Sikeston stepped on nail; Addie Robinson, 76, Sikeston, fractured wrist in fall; Tommy Jones, 23, Charleston, sprained ankle in fall; Allen Traughber, 28, Portageville, cut head at work; Ronald Mitchell, 24, Bertrand, bruised temple; Marjorie Meeks, 7, Sikeston, sprained thumb; and Harold Hightower, 24, Charleston, sprained neck.

LIVESTOCK

NATIONAL STOCKYARDS, Ill. (AP) — Hogs 4,500. Butchers steady to 50 higher where established. Sows 1.00-2.00 higher.

1-3 200-240 lb butchers 50.50-51.25.

1-3 300-450 lb sows 43.00-44.50; 450-500 lb 44.00-46.00; 500-600 lb 45.00-46.50.

Cattle receipts 1,500 head. Not enough of any class to test market.

No sheep, no market.

Estimated livestock receipts for Friday: 3,500 hogs, 100 cattle and 25 sheep.

GRAIN MARKET

CHICAGO (AP) — Grain futures prices were lower in early dealings on the Chicago Board of Trade today.

On the opening, soybeans were 1 to 5½ cents a bushel lower, Marchh 4.73; wheat was 1½ to 3½ lower, March 3.49½; corn was unchanged to 1¼ lower, March 2.662 and oats were 1 to 1½ lower, March 1.56½.

RIVER STAGES
MISSISSIPPI RIVER

	Flood	Now	Ch.
Chester	27	4.0	+.4
Cape Girardeau	32	10.3	—.1
New Madrid	34	22.9	—.4
Caruthersville	32	23.3	—.2

FORECAST

At Chester the river will rise 1.0 Friday and remain steady Saturday and Sunday.

At Cape Girardeau the river will rise .4 Friday; rise 1.0 Saturday; and remain the same Sunday.

At New Madrid the river will fall .6 Friday; fall .7 Saturday; and fall .8 Sunday.

At Caruthersville the river will fall .7 Friday; fall .6 Saturday; and fall .7 Sunday.

OHIO RIVER

	Flood	Now	Ch.
Golconda	40	30.4	—1.4
Paducah	39	28.2	—.9
Grand Chain	42	34.2	—.8
Cairo	40	31.7	—.6

FORECAST

At Golconda the river will fall 1.9 Friday; fall 3.1 Saturday; and fall 2.9 Sunday.

At Paducah the river will fall 1.0 Friday; fall 1.8 Saturday, and fall 4.2 Sunday.

At Grand Chain no forecast avilable.

At Cairo the river will fall .7 riday; fall .8 Saturday; and fall 1.6 Sunday.

BIRTHS

BOHANNON — Mr. and Mrs. John Bohannon, 614 Daniel St., are parents of their third child, a daughter born Jan. 28 at 8:19 p.m. in Missouri Delta Community Hospital. The girl weighed eight pounds eight and a half ounces and has been named Karen Elaine.

Mrs. Bohannon is the former Phyllis Berry, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Berry of Bertrand. Bohannon is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Bohannon, Route One.

WEATHER ELSEWHERE

By The Associated Press .. Thursday

	Hi	Lo	Prc	Otlk
Albany	37	10	..	cdy
Albu'que	51	35	..	rn
Amarillo	37	25	.10	cdy
Anchorage	43	36	..	cdy
Asheville	48	31	..	cdy
Atlanta	67	40	..	cdy
Birmingham	71	51	..	cdy
Bismarck	6	-1	..	cdy
Boise	25	6	.01	clr
Boston	44	19	..	cdy
Brownsville	80	67	..	cdy
Buffalo	31	15	.04	sn
Charleston	52	32	..	cdy
Charlotte	71	43	..	cdy
Chicago	30	19	..	cdy
Cincinnati	42	29	.10	rn
Cleveland	30	21	..	sn
Denver	30	7	.04	cdy
Des Moines	20	11	..	cdy

Eagleton announces candidates for academies

WASHINGTON — Sen. Thomas F. Eagleton, D-Mo., has announced that he has completed his selection of candidates to compete for the vacancies allotted to him at the U.S. service academies for the 1976-77 freshman class.

Eagleton submitted the names of 10 candidates to compete for one vacancy at the U.S. Military academy, located at West Point, N.Y.; another group of 10 to complete for one vacancy at the U.S. Air Force Academy, Colorado Springs, Colo.; and a third group of 10 to compete for one vacancy at the U.S. Naval Academy, Annapolis, Md.

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	BID	ASK
Anheuser Busch	35⅞	36⅜
Clinton Oil	1⅝	1¾
Dollar General	10⅞	11¼
First Nat Bk of Sik	6	7
Jerrico	36¼	37
Martha Manning	1¾	2½
Noranda Mines	34¼	35
Pabst Brewing	24⅝	25⅛
Relialbe Life	9	9¾
Sterling Stores	5¼	5¾
Wetterau	17⅞	18⅜
LISTED STOCKS		
Allied Stores		49⅛
American Tel & Tel		55
American Motors		6¼
Chrysler		15⅜
Columbia Gas		26¾
Eaton Mfg		33⅜
Ford Motors		49⅞
General Motors		63¾
Interstate Brands		12⅜
Malone & Hyde		24¾
Mid South Util		15⅜
J. C. Penney		56½
Union Elect		14⅜
Occidental Pet		17¼
WalMart Stores		13¾

EDITOR'S NOTE: The bid price is the approximate price if one were a seller and the asked price is the approximate priceif one were a buyer. These are listings at the close of the previous market.

Quotations furnished by Hugh T. McCollum, Registered Representative for Rowland and Co. 1405 East Malone. Phone 471-5350.

POLICE ARRESTS

Daniel Paul Wren, 237 Watson St., was arrested for stealing over $50 when he allegedly walked out of TG&Y Family Center with a $260 black and white television set, a transistor radio and a six-plug appliance outlet. The incident occurred at 5:30 p.m. Wednesday. Wren was caught in front of Osco Drug in Kingsway Plaza Mall.

Carroll A. Robertson, 1000 Ruth St., failing to yield the right of way.

Terry Wayne Davis, 301 Helen St., no driver's license.

Samuel Woodard, East Prairie, running stop sign.

Davide Lee Pound, 242 Daniel St., three counts of peace disturbance.

EMERGENCY PATIENTS

Accident patients treated and released Wednesday in the emergency room at Missouri Delta Community Hospital were:

Avis Jones, 41, Jackson, stepped on rusty nail; Lawrence Boley, 46, Sikeston, cut hand on storm door; Richard O'Donnell, 28, Sikeston stepped on nail; Addie Robinson, 76, Sikeston, fractured wrist in fall; Tommy Jones, 23, Charleston, sprained ankle in fall; Allen Traughber, 28, Portageville, cut head at work; Ronald Mitchell, 24, Bertrand, bruised temple; Marjorie Meeks, 7, Sikeston, sprained thumb; and Harold Hightower, 24, Charleston, sprained neck.

LIVESTOCK

NATIONAL STOCKYARDS, Ill. (AP) — Hogs 4,500. Butchers steady to 50 higher where established. Sows 1.00-2.00 higher.

1-3 200-240 lb butchers 50.50-51.25.

1-3 300-450 lb sows 43.00-44.50; 450-500 lb 44.00-46.00; 500-600 lb 45.00-46.50.

Cattle receipts 1,500 head. Not enough of any class to test market.

No sheep, no market.

Estimated livestock receipts for Friday: 3,500 hogs, 100 cattle and 25 sheep.

GRAIN MARKET

CHICAGO (AP) — Grain futures prices were lower in early dealings on the Chicago Board of Trade today.

On the opening, soybeans were 1 to 5½ cents a bushel lower, Marchh 4.73; wheat was 1½ to 3½ lower, March 3.49½; corn was unchanged to 1¼ lower, March 2.662 and oats were 1 to 1½ lower, March 1.56½.

RIVER STAGES
MISSISSIPPI RIVER

	Flood	Now	Ch.
Chester	27	4.0	+.4
Cape Girardeau	32	10.3	—.1
New Madrid	34	22.9	—.4
Caruthersville	32	23.3	—.2

FORECAST

At Chester the river will rise 1.0 Friday and remain steady Saturday and Sunday.

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OHIO RIVER

	Flood	Now	Ch.
Golconda	40	30.4	—1.4
Paducah	39	28.2	—.9
Grand Chain	42	34.2	—.8
Cairo	40	31.7	—.6

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At Golconda the river will fall 1.9 Friday; fall 3.1 Saturday; and fall 2.9 Sunday.

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BIRTHS

BOHANNON — Mr. and Mrs. John Bohannon, 614 Daniel St., are parents of their third child, a daughter born Jan. 28 at 8:19 p.m. in Missouri Delta Community Hospital. The girl weighed eight pounds eight and a half ounces and has been named Karen Elaine.

Mrs. Bohannon is the former Phyllis Berry, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Berry of Bertrand. Bohannon is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Bohannon, Route One.

WEATHER ELSEWHERE

By The Associated Press

Thursday

	HI	LO	Prc	Otlk
Albany	37	10	..	cdy
Albu'que	51	35	..	rn
Amarillo	37	25	.10	cdy
Anchorage	43	36	..	cdy
Asheville	68	31	..	cdy
Atlanta	67	40	..	cdy
Birmingham	71	51	..	cdy
Bismarck	6	-1	..	cdy
Boise	25	6	.01	clr
Boston	44	19	..	cdy
Brownsville	80	67	..	cdy
Buffalo	31	15	.04	sn
Charleston	52	32	..	cdy
Charlotte	71	43	..	cdy
Chicago	30	19	..	cdy
Cincinnati	42	29	.10	rn
Cleveland	30	21	..	sn
Denver	30	7	.04	cdy
Des Moines	20	11	..	cdy

Eagleton announces candidates for academies

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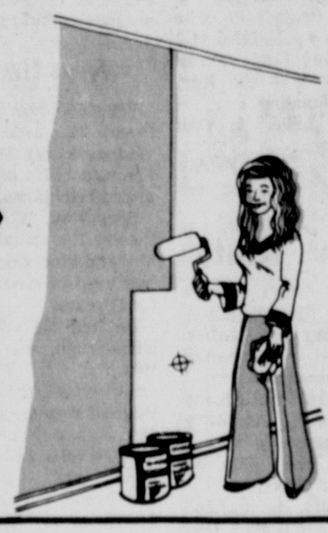

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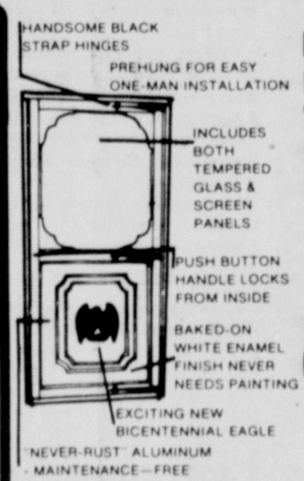

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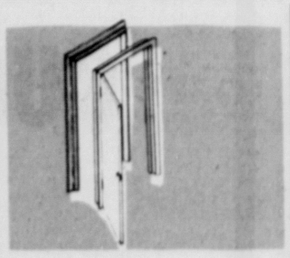

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Deaths

Marie Abernathy

EAST PRAIRIE— Services for Mrs. Marie Wilson Abernathy, 73, who died Tuesday, are scheduled at 1:30 p.m. Friday in Shelby Funeral Home with the Rev. Harrison Brack, pastor of St. James Village General Baptist Church, officiating.

Burial will follow in East Prairie Memorial Park Cemetery.

Friends may call after 5 p.m. today at the funeral home.

Wade Briggs

CHARLESTON— Services for Wade "Bill" Briggs, 70, who died Jan. 31 are scheduled at 2 p.m. Saturday in Sparks Funeral Home with the Rev. Josh Dowell officiating.

Burial will follow in Oak Grove Cemetery.

Friends may call Friday afternoon and night at the funeral home

Virgie V. White

CHAFFEE — Mrs. Virgie Viola White, 82, died about 9:50 p.m. Wednesday at Chaffee General Hospital, where she had been admitted about 8:15 p.m.

Born Feb. 10, 1893 at Higdon to the late James I. and Mary Elizabeth Skaggs, she was a member of the Chaffee Assembly of God Church.

On July 24, 1910, she married Harley L. White of Higdon, who survives. One son, Harley Lavern White, preceded her in death.

Other survivors include seven sons, Carl White of Chaffee, Firman White of Cape Girardeau, Ernest and Thirman White of Jackson and Bonnie, Lindell and Leonard White of Detroit; two daughters, Mrs. Erie Slinkard of Chaffee and Mrs. Linus Bock of Advance; and 20 grandchildren and 29 great-grandchildren.

Friends may call after 6:30 p.m. today at Amick-Burnett Funeral Chapel, where services are scheduled at 1 p.m. Saturday. The Rev. Paul Weber, pastor of First Baptist Church, will officiate.d

Burial will be in the Higdon City Cemetery.

Frank McBain

MOREHOUSE— Frank Alexander McBain, 91, a retired carpenter, died at 3:45 p.m. Wednesday in Missouri Delta Community Hospital in Sikeston following an extended illness.

Born March 8, 1884 at Warsaw, Ill., he was a son of the late James A. and Louise Herberts McBain and had lived in Morehouse since 1947, where he was a member of Rauch-Spence Memorial United Methodist Church.

On June 19, 1907, he married Amelia Barbara Wetz, who died Aug. 21, 1956.

Survivors include one son, Fred McBain of Sterling Heights, Mich.; one daughter, Kathryn McBain of Morehouse; and three grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Friends may call after 10 a.m. Friday at Watkins & Sons Funeral Home, where services are scheduled at 2 p.m. Saturday with the Revs. Carl Frame and A. C. Sullivant officiating.

Burial will be in Garden of Memories Cemetery at Sikeston.

Mildred Metcalf

SOUTH ROXANNA, Ill.— Miss Mildred Metcalf, 49, formerly of Bertrand, Mo., died at 9 a.m. Wednesday at her home.

She was born June 3, 1926 in Bertrand to the late Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Metcalf and was a member of Bethel Freewill Baptist Church.

Survivors include: three brothers, W. T. Metcalf of Bertrand, Raymond Metcalf of St. Louis and Marshall Metcalf of Risco, and two sisters, Mrs. Ruby Hawes of South Roxanna and Mrs. Mary Keel of Granite City.

Friends may call after 5 p.m. Friday at McMikle Funeral Home in Charleston, Mo., where services are scheduled at 1 p.m. Saturday.

Burial will follow in Oak Grove Cemetery near Charleston.

Wilma Johnson

CHARLESTON— Wilma Johnson, 66, died today in Missouri Delta Community Hospital at Sikeston.

The body is at McMikle Funeral Home, where arrangements are incomplete.

Myrtle Pugh

WYATT— Mrs. Myrtle Adams Pugh, 75, died at 4:20 p.m. Wednesday in Missouri Delta Community Hospital at Sikeston after a brief illness.

Born Nov. 22, 1900 in Fulton County, Ky., daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Dock Adams, she had lived in Mississippi County for 23 years.

On June 20, 1920, she married Elvis Pugh, who died Oct. 22, 1974.

Surviving are one son, Paul Pugh of Wyatt; four daughters, Mrs. Eulene Gentles of Sikeston, Mrs. Novella Talbert of Ripley, Tenn., Mrs. Ada Mingoia of Brentwood, N.Y., and Mrs. J. T. Townsend of Chicago; and 20 grandchildren and 24 great-grandchildren.

Friends may call at McMikle Funeral Home in Charleston, where services are scheduled at 2 p.m. Friday. The Rev. Eddie Cagle, pastor of the Wyatt Pentecostal Holiness Church, will officiate.

Burial will follow in Oak Grove Cemetery near Charleston.

Gourmets relish the spicy honey derived from thyme growing on the slopes of Mount Hymettus in Greece. Tradition says this honey was the original food of the gods.

In House committee

Disclosure bill okayed

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo. (AP) — A bill attempting to eliminate a major controversy in the recently passed campaign disclosure law was approved by a House committee Wednesday night.

Along with the financial limitation bill, another House committee saw critics and supporters of higher weight limits for trucks collide head-on in debate of the measure.

The financial disclosure bill if passed would exempt those candidates whp spend or receive contributions totaling $500 or less and whose elected position pays $1,000 or less.

The bill was amended to avoid what some considered a glaring loophole in the bill. The provision would have, before the amendment, allowed candidates to avoid the reporting provision by funneling their campaign funds through a political committee.

Under the amended bill, both candidate and committee must report if their revenue or expenditures exceed the $500 limitation.

A similar bill has been heard in a Senate committee earlier.

The truck bill was debated for more than 3½ hours in a crowded House Consumer Protection Committee. It allows trucks to increase their gross payloads from the present 72,280 to 80,000 pounds.

Representatives of a consumer group and the Missouri Automobile Association appeared in opposition to the bill, maintaining increased safety risks and road damage as major reasons to defeat the bill.

Robert Frank, representing the Missouri Association of Consumers, said the increased loads would result in a loss between $15 and $27 million in road damage.

Robert Hunter, chief engineer for the state Highway Department, in a switch from previous position, came out Wednesday night in support of the bill, if additional fees are levied against the truckers.

Several truckers appeared before the committee, listing several methods now used to circumvent border weight stations. They said the fuel used in avoiding the stations could be better utilized.

A representative of the state automobile association listed statistics which showed the heavier the payload for trucks, the greater the number of fatalities in traffic accidents.

A similar truck weight bill was passed out of a Senate committee last week.

The House Elections Committee also heard three bills which would move the state's August primary date into September, allowing vacationing Missourians the chance to vote in the primaries.

No action was taken on either the primary bills or the truck bill.

With the brevity of the four-month session and the amount of bills already passed out of committees, many feel bills still remaining in committees have little chance of floor debate or passage this time.

Ventriloquism comes from the Latin venter (belly) and loqui (to speak). It was the mistaken belief among the Romans that the voice of the ventriloquist came from his stomach.

Morley Masonic Lodge schedules dinner Saturday

MORLEY — The Morley Masonic Lodge will host an old-fashioned chili and stew dinner Saturday at the lodge.

The menu includes all of the chili or stew you can eat, plus coffee or tea and dessert.

Serving will start at 11 a.m. and continue to 8 p.m.

Tickets are available from any member or may be purchased at the door.

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Deaths

Marie Abernathy

EAST PRAIRIE— Services for Mrs. Marie Wilson Abernathy, 73, who died Tuesday, are scheduled at 1:30 p.m. Friday in Shelby Funeral Home with the Rev. Harrison Brack, pastor of St. James Village General Baptist Church, officiating.

Burial will follow in East Prairie Memorial Park Cemetery.

Friends may call after 5 p.m. today at the funeral home.

Wade Briggs

CHARLESTON— Services for Wade "Bill" Briggs, 70, who died Jan. 31 are scheduled at 2 p.m. Saturday in Sparks Funeral Home with the Rev. Josh Dowell officiating.

Burial will follow in Oak Grove Cemetery.

Friends may call Friday afternoon and night at the funeral home

Virgie V. White

CHAFFEE — Mrs. Virgie Viola White, 82, died about 9:50 p.m. Wednesday at Chaffee General Hospital, where she had been admitted about 8:15 p.m.

Born Feb. 10, 1893 at Higdon to the late James I. and Mary Elizabeth Skaggs, she was a member of the Chaffee Assembly of God Church.

On July 24, 1910, she married Harley L. White of Higdon, who survives. One son, Harley Lavern White, preceded her in death.

Other survivors include seven sons, Carl White of Chaffee, Firman White of Cape Girardeau, Ernest and Thirman White of Jackson and Bonnie, Lindell and Leonard White of Detroit; two daughters, Mrs. Erie Slinkard of Chaffee and Mrs. Linus Bock of Advance; and 20 grandchildren and 29 great-grandchildren.

Friends may call after 6:30 p.m. today at Amick-Burnett Funeral Chapel, where services are scheduled at 1 p.m. Saturday. The Rev. Paul Weber, pastor of First Baptist Church, will officiate.d

Burial will be in the Higdon City Cemetery.

Frank McBain

MOREHOUSE— Frank Alexander McBain, 91, a retired carpenter, died at 3:45 p.m. Wednesday in Missouri Delta Community Hospital in Sikeston following an extended illness.

Born March 8, 1884 at Warsaw, Ill., he was a son of the late James A. and Louise Herberts McBain and had lived in Morehouse since 1947, where he was a member of Rauch-Spence Memorial United Methodist Church.

On June 19, 1907, he married Amelia Barbara Wetz, who died Aug. 21, 1956.

Survivors include one son, Fred McBain of Sterling Heights, Mich.; one daughter, Kathryn McBain of Morehouse; and three grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Friends may call after 10 a.m. Friday at Watkins & Sons Funeral Home, where services are scheduled at 2 p.m. Saturday with the Revs. Carl Frame and A. C. Sullivant officiating.

Burial will be in Garden of Memories Cemetery at Sikeston.

Mildred Metcalf

SOUTH ROXANNA, Ill.— Miss Mildred Metcalf, 49, formerly of Bertrand, Mo., died at 9 a.m. Wednesday at her home.

She was born June 3, 1926 in Bertrand to the late Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Metcalf and was a member of Bethel Freewill Baptist Church.

Survivors include: three brothers, W. T. Metcalf of Bertrand, Raymond Metcalf of St. Louis and Marshall Metcalf of Risco, and two sisters, Mrs. Ruby Hawes of South Roxanna and Mrs. Mary Keel of Granite City.

Friends may call after 5 p.m. Friday at McMikle Funeral Home in Charleston, Mo., where services are scheduled at 1 p.m. Saturday.

Burial will follow in Oak Grove Cemetery near Charleston.

Wilma Johnson

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The body is at McMikle Funeral Home, where arrangements are incomplete.

Myrtle Pugh

WYATT— Mrs. Myrtle Adams Pugh, 75, died at 4:20 p.m. Wednesday in Missouri Delta Community Hospital at Sikeston after a brief illness.

Born Nov. 22, 1900 in Fulton County, Ky., daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Dock Adams, she had lived in Mississippi County for 23 years.

On June 20, 1920, she married Elvis Pugh, who died Oct. 22, 1974.

Surviving are one son, Paul Pugh of Wyatt; four daughters, Mrs. Eulene Gentles of Sikeston, Mrs. Novella Talbert of Ripley, Tenn., Mrs. Ada Mingoia of Brentwood, N.Y., and Mrs. J. T. Townsend of Chicago; and 20 grandchildren and 24 great-grandchildren.

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Gourmets relish the spicy honey derived from thyme growing on the slopes of Mount Hymettus in Greece. Tradition says this honey was the original food of the gods.

In House committee

Disclosure bill okayed

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo. (AP) — A bill attempting to eliminate a major controversy in the recently passed campaign disclosure law was approved by a House committee Wednesday night.

Along with the financial limitation bill, another House committee saw critics and supporters of higher weight limits for trucks collide head-on in debate of the measure.

The financial disclosure bill if passed would exempt those candidates whp spend or receive contributions totaling $500 or less and whose elected position pays $1,000 or less.

The bill was amended to avoid what some considered a glaring loophole in the bill. The provision would have, before the amendment, allowed candidates to avoid the reporting provision by funneling their campaign funds through a political committee.

Under the amended bill, both candidate and committee must report if their revenue or expenditures exceed the $500 limitation.

A similar bill has been heard in a Senate committee earlier.

The truck bill was debated for more than 3½ hours in a crowded House Consumer Protection Committee. It allows trucks to increase their gross payloads from the present 72,280 to 80,000 pounds.

Representatives of a consumer group and the Missouri Automobile Association appeared in opposition to the bill, maintaining increased safety risks and road damage as major reasons to defeat the bill.

Robert Frank, representing the Missouri Association of Consumers, said the increased loads would result in a loss between $15 and $27 million in road damage.

Robert Hunter, chief engineer for the state Highway Department, in a switch from previous position, came out Wednesday night in support of the bill, if additional fees are levied against the truckers.

Several truckers appeared before the committee, listing several methods now used to circumvent border weight stations. They said the fuel used in avoiding the stations could be better utilized.

A representative of the state automobile association listed statistics which showed the heavier the payload for trucks, the greater the number of fatalities in traffic accidents.

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The House Elections Committee also heard three bills which would move the state's August primary date into September, allowing vacationing Missourians the chance to vote in the primaries.

No action was taken on either the primary bills or the truck bill.

With the brevity of the four-month session and the amount of bills already passed out of committees, many feel bills still remaining in committees have little chance of floor debate or passage this time.

Ventriloquism comes from the Latin venter (belly) and loqui (to speak). It was the mistaken belief among the Romans that the voice of the ventriloquist came from his stomach.

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MORLEY — The Morley Masonic Lodge will host an old-fashioned chili and stew dinner Saturday at the lodge.

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Almost as if he'd expected it, Loughery watched his club eclipse the Spirits of St. Louis 117-112 Wednesday night and then accounted for the reason.

"I'll have to attribute a great deal of that to Billy Melchionni's getting the ball to the right spot," Loughery said in surveying 70.6 per cent Nets shooting during the final 12 minutes.

"Mel did a super job of controlling the tempo," Loughery added. "We had to have that against a team that's physically stronger than us."

The 6-foot-2 Melchionni, also Loughery's assistant, was not without trial while spearheading the triumph in a fill-in role for injured backcourt star Brian Taylor.

After directing New York to a 99-93 lead, Melchionni watched Mike D'Antoni execute a steal at his expense and trim the advantage to 99-97.

Twenty seconds later D'Antoni repeated in setting up Marvin Barnes for two tying points, but soon afterward Melchionni and Barnes traded goals and John Williamson edged the Nets in front.

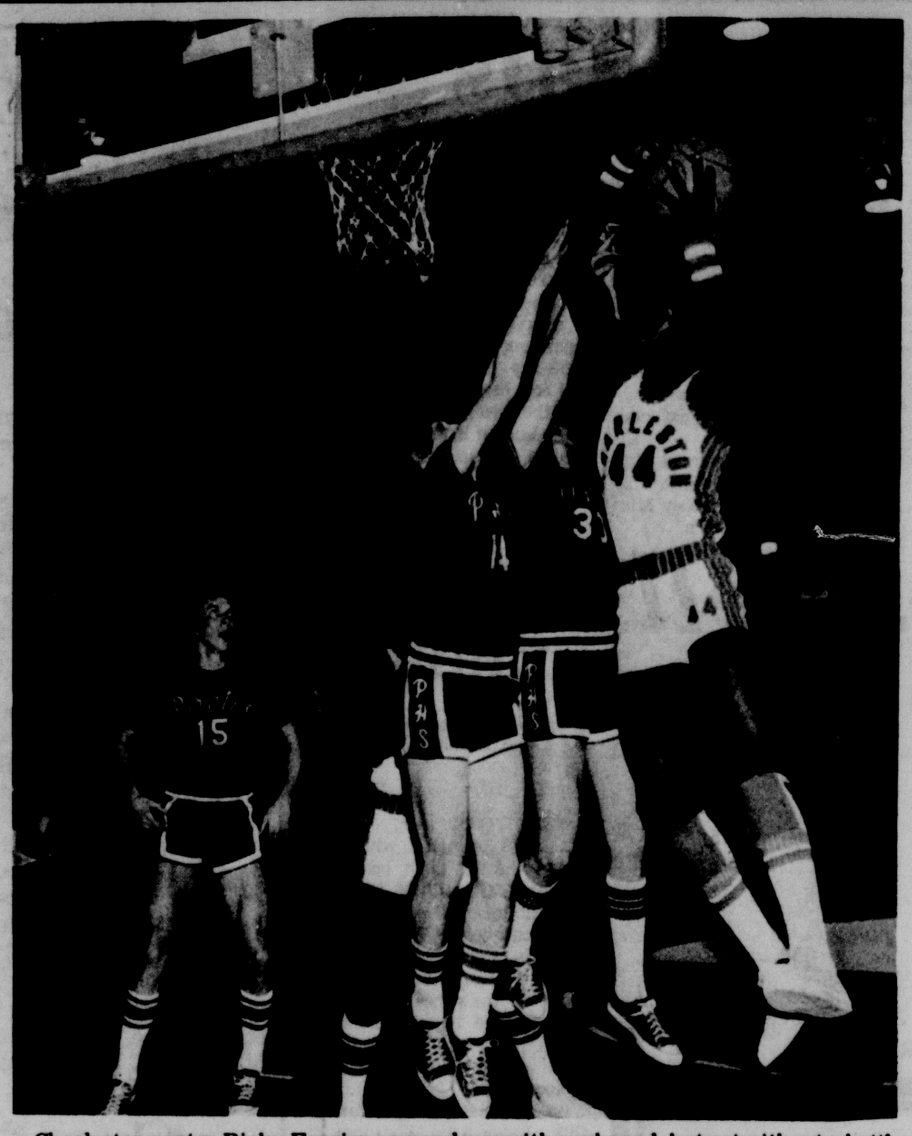
"One thing about Billy Melchionni is that he has supreme confidence in his ability," Loughery noted of his aide, who scored 20 points in a 31-minute role.

"Many guys, after they'd had the ball taken away twice, wouldn't have taken the shot he did," Loughery added.

"The Dr. (Julius Erving) was trying to throw to me, and I was trying to throw to him," was how Melchionni explained his floor lapses, which could have been critical.

"After that happened," he said, "I figured I'd have to try to get two of the points back."

"We got a couple of bad breaks," Barnes maintained. "The ball bounced their way is all."



Charleston center Ricky Frazier comes down with a rebound, but not without a battle from a pair of short by scrappy Perryville Pirates. The 6-6 Frazier led the Bluejay charge in the overtime period last night as they whipped the Pirates 60-48.

(Daily Standard photo)

Bluejays need overtime to beat Perryville 60-48

By BILL HARRISON

CHARLESTON — A last second shot which went in and came out by Gary Kassel enabled the CHS Bluejays to get a second chance and coach Mitch Haskins' team caught fire in an overtime period to turn back a determinated Perryville Pirate team 60-48 here Tuesday night in a SEMO conference game.

The Charleston Bluejays celebrated their homecoming with their worse basketball game of the season as Perryville just didn't have the ability to take advantage of the Charleston missed shots and turnovers.

Perryville took a 4-2 lead early in the opening period and led all the way, once by as much as 10 points, until Charleston managed to take a 42-41 lead with 3:14 left in the fourth period.

"I'm glad we don't have to play them every night", said coach Mitch Haskins after the game. "We just never could seem to get motivated", he said.

Charleston's 27-66 from the field was the main reason that Perryville was in the game at all and the Pirates' 18-54 from the field was the only reason that Charleston was able to come away with the victory.

Perryville actually turned the ball over two more times than Charleston, 15-17, but the Bluejays mistakes were more magnified because they were the heavy favorites. Most of Charleston's turnovers came in the first half as the Bluejays scored only six in the first period and 11 in the second. Many missed shots also held the scoring down for both team but Perryville shot enough freethrows in the firs two quarters to give the visiting team a 26-17 halftime lead.

Charleston had tried a zone press in the first quarter to no avail as Perryville had no trouble finding the open man across the halfcourt line. Perryville did an excellent job of getting past the press and rebounding on the defensive boards against the taller Bluejays.

Coach Haskins had a lengthy meeting with his players in the dressing room at the half and didn't come back toplay until the final warning buzzer had sounded. "I felt that we could play much better if we became better acquainted with each other so I had all the boys stand up so I could introduce them to each other," coach Haskins said when asked the reason for his delay.

"I told them that we couldn't sit back in a zone trailing as we were and we had to play a man to man," Haskins told his players at intermission.

After trailing by nine at the half Charleston began to find the basket a little better in the opening of the third period and climbed to within three 29-26 with 2:06 left in the quarter as Michael Dean hit a layup on a stolen pass.

Perryville was having troubles of their own hitting the bucket and Charleston managed to lead by only one point, 33-32 at the end of the third quarter.

The Bluejays felt a little at east with a six point lead with two minutes left in the game, but Perryville battled back to tie the score at 48-48 with less than a minute left to play and holding the ball. Charleston gave Perryville the last shot as Michael Smith lost the ball with 48 seconds left to play.

Charleston took advantage of the second chance to win the game and Ricky Frazier took over and scored the first seven points of the overtime and added an assist as Charleston took a nine point lead early to escape sure defeat.

The bluejays went on to outscore the Pirates 14-2 in the extra minutes of the game.

CHARLESTON (60)
Frazier 13, Farmer 16, Smith 13, Dean 8, Owens 8, Bruenderman 2. TOTALS: FG—27; FT—6; PF—16.

PERRYVILLE (48)
Prevallent 3, Cairns 8, Kassel 2, Wingerter 8, Bremer 22, Kassel 5. TOTALS: FG—16; FT—12; PF—13

Score by Quarters:

Charleston	6	11	15	14	14	60
Perryville	14	12	7	13	2	48

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8th grade beats Bluff; Freshmen lose fourth

POPLAR BLUFF--Sikeston's junior high basketball teams split a pair of games at Poplar Bluff Wednesday night. The eighth grade took a 42-29 decision from the Bluff team, while the Mules' freshman won a 59-49 decision over the Bulldogs in the ninth grade contest.

In the opener, coach Ford Morgan's eighth graders opened up a big 29-12 halftime lead and then used substitutes in the second half as they cruised to a big victory. Nine different Bulldog players scored in the game, led by Mike Sale's ten points. The eighth graders pushed their record to 8-3.

In the freshman contest, a 23-point performance by Sam Warfield was wasted as the PB team outscored Sikeston 30-21 to take the victory. The Mules had led by only one point at the half. Jeff Young added 12 points for Sikeston, while Dickens and Jennings had 16 apiece for Poplar Bluff. The freshman record fell to 12-4.

POPLAR BLUFF (29)
Poteet 8, Talkington 4, Pulliam 8, Stith 2, Harris 6, Allen 1 Totals: FG-14; FT-1; PF-15

SIKESTON (42)
Lasters 4, Longstreet 3, Rogers 8, Sales 10, Tope 7, Harris 4, Robinson 2, Hicks 2, Howard 2 Totals: FG-19; FT-4; PF-9

Score by Quarters:

Poplar Bluff	4	7	10	8	29
Sikeston	12	17	5	8	42

POPLAR BLUFF (59)
Dickens 16, Coats 6, Stout 11, Persons 10, Jennings 16 Totals: FG-23; FT-13; PF-13

SIKESTON (49)
Warfield 23, Young 12, Redd 7, Mills 3, Carlock 2, Keefer 2 Totals: FG-21; FT-7; PF-21

Score by Quarters:

Poplar Bluff	11	18	11	19	59
Sikeston	12	16	6	15	49

K-State upsets Mizzou

By The Associated Press

Kansas State and Nebraska have turned the Big Eight Conference basketball race into the scramble Norm Stewart kept telling everyone it would be.

Wednesday night K-State upset Stewart's Missouri Tigers, 85-81, while Nebraska was nipping Kansas, 57-54. As a result, Missouri and Nebraska are tied with five conference victories and one defeat apiece, and Kansas State is right behind at 4-2.

Oklahoma ran its conference mark to 2-4 with a 75-63 victory over Iowa State, 2-4, and Oklahoma State, 2-4, downed the 1-5 Colorado Buffaloes, 85-76, in other Big Eight action.

"It's too early in the year to be making any definitive statements about the conference race," Stewart said after his 13th-ranked Tigers threatened to make it a runaway last weekend.

"It could still be anybody's ball game."

Now it is.

Kansas State's surprising upset snapped Missouri's home court winning streak at 23 games and was engineered by guards Chuckie Williams, who poured in 32 points and Mike Evans, who made 20.

"We got the crucial baskets when we needed them," Kansas State boss Jack Hartman said later. "We did a much better job of keeping Missouri off the offensive boards."

Missouri guard Willie Smith, the conference scoring leader, pumped in 23 points and Hartman, complimenting Smith as well as his own Wildcats, remarked, "I think we did a great job on Willie Smith."

Steve Willis made good on a pair of free throws in the final seconds to preserve Nebraska's victory. Kansas held a 25-23 halftime lead but the Huskers fashioned a 45-35 advantage with 8:44 to play and scored the rest of their points on free throws.

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Marvin gets 40 but Nets top Spirits

ST. LOUIS (AP) — A blistering finish by the New York Nets dazzled their opponent in the American Basketball Association but not Coach Kevin Loughery.

Almost as if he'd expected it, Loughery watched his club eclipse the Spirits of St. Louis 117-112 Wednesday night and then accounted for the reason.

"I'll have to attribute a great deal of that to Billy Melchionni's getting the ball to the right spot," Loughery said in surveying 70.6 per cent Nets shooting during the final 12 minutes.

"Mel did a super job of controlling the tempo," Loughery added. "We had to have that against a team that's physically stronger than us."

The 6-foot-2 Melchionni, also Loughery's assistant, was not without trial while spearheading the triumph in a fill-in role for injured backcourt star Brian Taylor.

After directing New York to a 99-93 lead, Melchionni watched Mike D'Antoni execute a steal at his expense and trim the advantage to 99-97.

Twenty seconds later D'Antoni repeated in setting up Marvin Barnes for two tying points, but soon afterward Melchionni and Barnes traded goals and John Williamson edged the Nets in front.

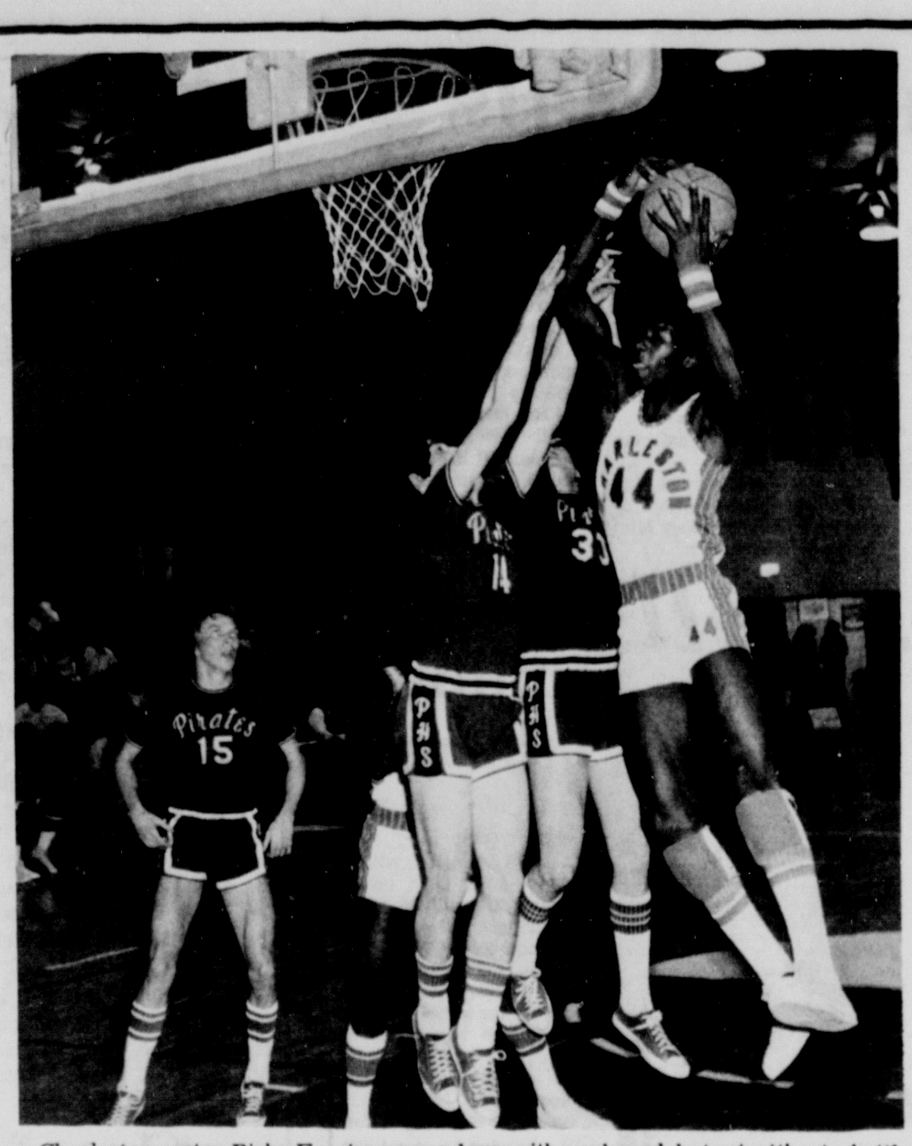
"One thing about Billy Melchionni is that he has supreme confidence in his ability," Loughery noted of his aide, who scored 20 points in a 31-minute role.

"Many guys, after they'd had the ball taken away twice, wouldn't have taken the shot he did," Loughery added.

"The Dr. (Julius Erving) was trying to throw to me, and I was trying to throw to him," was how Melchionni explained his floor lapses, which could have been critical.

"After that happened," he said, "I figured I'd have to try to get two of the points back."

"We got a couple of bad breaks," Barnes maintained. "The ball bounced their way is all."



Charleston center Ricky Frazier comes down with a rebound, but not without a battle from a pair of short by scrappy Perryville Pirates. The 6-6 Frazier led the Bluejay charge in the overtime period last night as they whipped the Pirates 60-48.

(Daily Standard photo)

Bluejays need overtime to beat Perryville 60-48

By BILL HARRISON

CHARLESTON — A last second shot which went in and came out by Gary Kassel enabled the CHS Bluejays to get a second chance and coach Mitch Haskins' team caught fire in an overtime period to turn back a determinated Perryville Pirate team 60-48 here Tuesday night in a SEMO conference game.

The Charleston Bluejays celebrated their homecoming with their worse basketball game of the season as Perryville just didn't have the ability to take advantage of the Charleston missed shots and turnovers.

Perryville took a 4-2 lead early in the opening period and led all the way, once by as much as 10 points, until Charleston managed to take a 42-41 lead with 3:14 left in the fourth period.

"I'm glad we don't have to play them every night", said coach Mitch Haskins after the game. "We just never could seem to get motivated", he said.

Charleston's 27-66 from the field was the main reason that Perryville was in the game at all and the Pirates' 18-54 from the field was the only reason that Charleston was able to come away with the victory.

Perryville actually turned the ball over two more times than Charleston, 15-17, but the Bluejays mistakes were more magnified because they were the heavy favorites. Most of Charleston's turnovers came in the first half as the Bluejays scored only six in the first period and 11 in the second. Many missed shots also held the scoring down for both team but Perryville shot enough freethrows in the firs two quarters to give the visiting team a 26-17 halftime lead.

Charleston had tried a zone press in the first quarter to no avail as Perryville had no trouble finding the open man across the halfcourt line. Perryville did an excellent job of getting past the press and rebounding on the defensive boards against the taller Bluejays.

Coach Haskins had a lengthy meeting with his players in the dressing room at the half and didn't come back toplay until the final warning buzzer had sounded. "I felt that we could play much better if we became better acquainted with each other so I had all the boys stand up so I could introduce them to each other," coach Haskins said when asked the reason for his delay.

"I told them that we couldn't sit back in a zone trailing as we were and we had to play a man to man," Haskins told his players at intermission.

After trailing by nine at the half Charleston began to find the basket a little better in the opening of the third period and climbed to within three 29-26 with 2:06 left in the quarter as Michael Dean hit a layup on a stolen pass.

Perryville was having troubles of their own hitting the bucket and Charleston managed to lead by only one point, 33-32 at the end of the third quarter.

The Bluejays felt a little at east with a six point lead with two minutes left in the game, but Perryville battled back to tie the score at 48-48 with less than a minute left to play and holding the ball. Charleston gave Perryville the last shot as Michael Smith lost the ball with 48 seconds left to play.

Charleston took advantage of the second chance to win the game and Ricky Frazier took over and scored the first seven points of the overtime and added an assist as Charleston took a nine point lead early to escape sure defeat.

The bluejays went on to outscore the Pirates 14-2 in the extra minutes of the game.

CHARLESTON (60)
Frazier 13, Farmer 16, Smith 13, Dean 8, Owens 8, Bruenderman 2.
TOTALS: FG—27; FT—6; PF—16.

PERRYVILLE (48)
Prevallent 3, Cairns 8, Kassel 2, Wingerter 8, Bremer 22, Kassel 5.
TOTALS: FG—18; FT—12; PF—13

Score by Quarters:

Charleston	6	11	15	14	14	60
Perryville	14	12	7	13	2	48

8th grade beats Bluff; Freshmen lose fourth

POPLAR BLUFF--Sikeston's junior high basketball teams split a pair of games at Poplar Bluff Wednesday night. The eighth grade took a 42-29 decision from the Bluff team, while the Mules' freshman won a 59-49 decision over the Bulldogs in the ninth grade contest.

In the opener, coach Ford Morgan's eighth graders opened up a big 29-12 halftime lead and then used substitutes in the second half as they cruised to a big victory. Nine different Bulldog players scored in the game, led by Mike Sale's ten points. The eighth graders pushed their record to 8-3.

In the freshman contest, a 23-point performance by Sam Warfield was wasted as the PB team outscored Sikeston 30-21 to take the victory. The Mules had led by only one point at the half. Jeff Young added 12 points for Sikeston, while Dickens and Jennings had 16 apiece for Poplar Bluff. The freshman record fell to 12-4.

POPLAR BLUFF (29)
Poteet 8, Talkington 4, Pulliam 8, Stith 2, Harris 6, Allen 1 Totals: FG-14; FT-1; PF-15

SIKESTON (42)
Lasters 4, Longstreet 3, Rogers 8, Sales 10, Tope 7, Harris 4, Robinson 2, Hicks 2, Howard 2 Totals: FG-19; FT-4; PF-9

Score by Quarters:

Poplar Bluff	4	7	10	8-29
Sikeston	12	17	5	8-42

POPLAR BLUFF (59)
Dickens 16, Coats 6, Stout 11, Persons 10, Jennings 16 Totals: FG-23; FT-13; PF-13

SIKESTON (49)
Warfield 23, Young 12, Redd 7, Mills 3, Carlock 2, Keefer 2 Totals: FG-21; FT-7; PF-21

Score by Quarters:

Poplar Bluff	11	18	11	19-59
Sikeston	12	16	6	15-49

K-State upsets Mizzou

By The Associated Press

Kansas State and Nebraska have turned the Big Eight Conference basketball race into the scramble Norm Stewart kept telling everyone it would be.

Wednesday night K-State upset Stewart's Missouri Tigers, 85-81, while Nebraska was nipping Kansas, 57-54. As a result, Missouri and Nebraska are tied with five conference victories and one defeat apiece, and Kansas State is right behind at 4-2.

Oklahoma ran its conference mark to 2-4 with a 75-63 victory over Iowa State, 2-4, and Oklahoma State, 2-4, downed the 1-5 Colorado Buffaloes, 85-76, in other Big Eight action.

"It's too early in the year to be making any definitive statements about the conference race," Stewart said after his 13th-ranked Tigers threatened to make it a runaway last weekend.

"It could still be anybody's ball game."

Now it is.

Kansas State's surprising upset snapped Missouri's home court winning streak at 23 games and was engineered by guards Chuckie Williams, who poured in 32 points and Mike Evans, who made 20.

"We got the crucial baskets when we needed them," Kansas State boss Jack Hartman said later. "We did a much better job of keeping Missouri off the offensive boards."

Missouri guard Willie Smith, the conference scoring leader, pumped in 23 points and Hartman, complimenting Smith as well as his own Wildcats, remarked, "I think we did a great job on Willie Smith."

Steve Willis made good on a pair of free throws in the final seconds to preserve Nebraska's victory. Kansas held a 25-23 halftime lead but the Huskers fashioned a 45-35 advantage with 8:44 to play and scored the rest of their points on free throws.

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"This is not my favorite rink," Miss Young said. "There is some wind here and my times have been better on other rinks. I haven't skated my best here. You know, I fell in the 500 here in 1974" in a world tournament.

Earlier in the week, Miss Young provided some social excitement when she announced her engagement to James Ochowicz, an Olympic cyclist from Milwaukee.

With her engagement announcement also came the news that this is probably Miss Young's final Olympics.

"I really plan on getting married and settling down," she said. "Maybe going to school."

Miss Young, 25, said her record performance in the 500 meter race last week in Davos, Switzerland heped her prepare for the Olympics.

"The world record gave me confidence," Miss Young said Tuesday.

Koch had said he wanted to be the best in the world by 1978, and be in position to win a couple of gold medals in the 1980 Olympic Games in Lake Placd, N.Y. It appears he's two years ahead of schedule.

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Scoring Leaders

Rank	Player, Team	Games	Pts.	Aver
1.	Otto Porter, Scott Central	19	558	29.4
2.	Mike Jarrett, Holcomb	14	309	22.1
3.	Jim Clay, Richland	16	351	21.9
4.	Frank Robinson, Lilbourn	20	434	21.7
5.	Ricky Frazier, Charleston	20	404	20.2
6.	Jerry Stewart, North Pemiscot	18	362	20.1
7.	Keith Campbell, Oran	16	316	19.8
8.	Grady Williford, East Prairie	14	277	19.8
9.	Robert Roundtree, Kennett	20	379	19.0
10.	Cookie Rose, Delta C-7	16	295	18.6
11.	Robert Taylor, Oran	14	254	18.1
12.	James Williams, Scott Central	19	350	17.9
12.	Ricky Thomas, Scott Central	19	350	17.9
14.	Dale Hinton, Poplar Bluff	18	319	17.7
15.	Marc Eaves, Sikeston	18	316	17.6
15.	Denis Kellick, Risco	15	264	17.6
15.	Micky Gum, Clarkton	17	299	17.6
18.	Don Treadwell, Lilbourn	20	345	17.2
19.	Steve Vabak, Advance	20	337	16.8
20.	Robert Blackman, Malden	16	267	16.7

Note:

In many cases we don't have individual scoring totals for a game so, in all fairness, we have charged a player with zero, "0" points for games when his coached failed to call.

Kennett tops poll

The Kennett Indians, who won the Poplar Bluff Tournament last week with convincing victories over both Sikeston and Charleston, nosed out Scott Central for first place in this week's Daily Standard High school basketball coaches poll.

The Indians and Braves each got three first place votes, but Kennett claimed one more point than did Scott Central.

The Sikeston Bulldogs, who lost to Jackson Tuesday night, plunged all the way to a tie for sixth place with the Dexter Bearcats.

Rank	Team (1st place votes)	Total Pts.
1.	Kennett (3)	79
2.	Scott Central (3)	78
3.	Charleston (1)	65
4.	Lilbourn	50
5.	Kelly	35
6.	(tie) Dexter	31
6.	(tie) Sikeston	31
8.	North Pemiscot	21
9.	Senath-Hornersville	12
10.	(tie) Neelyville	8
10.	(tie) Advance	8

Others Receiving Votes:
Notre Dame, Jackson, Twin Rivers.

Judge upholds ruling

NEW YORK (AP) — Will baseball's owners, with two strikes against them, come out swinging? Or will they will give up their turn at bat so the real game can begin?

That's the predicament in which the sports finds itself today after the second of two umpires turned thumbs down on the owners and their interpretation of baseball's historic option clause.

On Wednesday in Kansas City, Judge John W. Oliver of U.S. District Cout upheld the Dec. 23 ruling by arbitrator Peter Seitz that pitchers Andy Messersmith and Dave McNally were free agents because they had played one year beyond their contractual commitments.

Seitz' ruling, which the owners sought unsuccessfully to overturn, struck down the ancient interpretation of the option clause that had kept a player with one team as long as that team desired. The new interpretation, which the owners insist would destroy the national pastime, says a player becomes a free agent, available to all 24 major league clubs after he exercises the option year of his contract.

The owners swung and missed against Seitz and didn't connect with Oliver, but another swing — an appeal of Oliver's decision — could jeopardize the 1976 baseball season.

Unger gives Blues tie with Scouts

KANSAS CITY (AP) — "We can't be disappointed with a tie," said Kansas City Coach Eddie Bush after his Scouts were tied 3-3 by St. Louis when Garry Unger scored his 28th goal of the season in the final period of the National Hockey League game Wednesday night.

"Remember you have to crawl before you can run," he said after the team's second straight tie and 16th contest without a victory.

St. Louis' Bob McMillan opened the scoring with a 10-foot goal at 2:21 in the first period, but Kansas City came back with three markers in the same stanza.

Dave Hudson tied it with a 40-footer at 4:50, Guy Charron put the Scouts ahead with a point-blank shot at 17:06 and Jim McElmury made it 3-1 at 18:06 with a 20-footer. The last two came when St. Louis was playing with a man short.

Derek Sanderson tallied his 17th goal of the season at 11:20 in the second period, setting the stage for Unger's 28th marker of the campaign to enable the Blues to register their third straight tie.

Conference Standings

SEMO CONFERENCE	CONF	ALL
Charleston	4-0	16-4
Kennett	3-1	19-2
Dexter	2-1	15-5
Jackson	2-2	12-7
Poplar Bluff	1-2	8-10
Sikeston	1-2	13-5
Cape Central	1-2	5-11
Perryville	0-3	7-12
NEW MADRID	**CONF**	**ALL**
Lilbourn	6-0	15-5
Matthews	4-1	8-7
Portageville	3-2	9-8
Risco	3-3	7-8
New Madrid	2-4	5-11
Parma	0-4	2-11
Gideon	0-4	0-14
SCOTT-MISSISSIPPI	**CONF**	**ALL**
Scott Central	5-0	18-1
Kelly	3-0	14-6
Illmo-Scott City	2-1	9-6
Chaffee	1-1	4-10
Delta	2-3	11-7
East Prairie	1-4	4-10
Oran	0-5	5-11
DUNKLIN COUNTY	**CONF**	**ALL**
Senath-Hornersville	4-0	13-5
Malden	3-1	9-7
Clarkton	3-1	8-9
Holcomb	2-3	6-8
Campbell	1-4	1-12
Southland	0-4	0-10
BOOTHEEL	**CONF.**	**ALL**
Hayti	5-0	11-7
North Pemiscot	4-1	14-4
Delta C-7	2-2	6-10
Cooter	2-3	10-8
Caruthersville	1-3	4-11
South Pemiscot	0-5	11-8
INDEPENDENTS		**ALL**
Notre Dame		13-5
Neelyville		15-6
Twin Rivers		10-4
Advance		14-6
Richland		11-5
Bernie		12-8
Woodland		10-7
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"This is not my favorite rink," Miss Young said. "There is some wind here and my times have been better on other rinks. I haven't skated my best here. You know, I fell in the 500 here in 1974" in a world tournament.

Earlier in the week, Miss Young provided some social excitement when she announced her engagement to James Ochowicz, an Olympic cyclist from Milwaukee.

With her engagement announcement also came the news that this is probably Miss Young's final Olympics.

"I really plan on getting married and settling down," she said. "Maybe going to school."

Miss Young, 25, said her record performance in the 500 meter race last week in Davos, Switzerland heped her prepare for the Olympics.

"The world record gave me confidence," Miss Young said Tuesday.

Koch had said he wanted to be the best in the world by 1978, and be in position to win a couple of gold medals in the 1980 Olympic Games in Lake Placd, N.Y. It appears he's two years ahead of schedule.

Kennett tops poll

The Kennett Indians, who won the Poplar Bluff Tournament last week with convincing victories over both Sikeston and Charleston, nosed out Scott Central for first place in this week's Daily Standard High school basketball coaches poll.

The Indians and Braves each got three first place votes, but Kennett claimed one more point than did Scott Central.

The Sikeston Bulldogs, who lost to Jackson Tuesday night, plunged all the way to a tie for sixth place with the Dexter Bearcats.

Rank	Team (1st place votes)	Total Pts.
1.	Kennett (3)	79
2.	Scott Central (3)	78
3.	Charleston (1)	65
4.	Lilbourn	50
5.	Kelly	35
6.	(tie) Dexter	31
6.	(tie) Sikeston	31
8.	North Pemiscot	21
9.	Senath-Hornersville	12
10.	(tie) Neelyville	8
10.	(tie) Advance	8

Others Receiving Votes:
Notre Dame, Jackson, Twin Rivers.

Judge upholds ruling

NEW YORK (AP) — Will baseball's owners, with two strikes against them, come out swinging? Or will they will give up their turn at bat so the real game can begin?

That's the predicament in which the sports finds itself today after the second of two umpires turned thumbs down on the owners and their interpretation of baseball's historic option clause.

On Wednesday in Kansas City, Judge John W. Oliver of U.S. District Cout upheld the Dec. 23 ruling by arbitrator Peter Seitz that pitchers Andy Messersmith and Dave McNally were free agents because they had played one year beyond their contractual commitments.

Seitz' ruling, which the owners sought unsuccessfully to overturn, struck down the ancient interpretation of the option clause that had kept a player with one team as long as that team desired. The new interpretation, which the owners insist would destroy the national pastime, says a player becomes a free agent, available to all 24 major league clubs after he exercises the option year of his contract.

The owners swung and missed against Seitz and didn't connect with Oliver, but another swing — an appeal of Oliver's decision — could jeopardize the 1976 baseball season.

Unger gives Blues tie with Scouts

KANSAS CITY (AP) — "We can't be disappointed with a tie," said Kansas City Coach Eddie Bush after his Scouts were tied 3-3 by St. Louis when Garry Unger scored his 28th goal of the season in the final period of the National Hockey League game Wednesday night.

"Remember you have to crawl before you can run," he said after the team's second straight tie and 16th contest without a victory.

St. Louis' Bob McMillan opened the scoring with a 10-foot goal at 2:21 in the first period, but Kansas City came back with three markers in the same stanza.

Dave Hudson tied it with a 40-footer at 4:50, Guy Charron put the Scouts ahead with a point-blank shot at 17:06 and Jim McElmury made it 3-1 at 18:06 with a 20-footer. The last two came when St. Louis was playing with a man short.

Derek Sanderson tallied his 17th goal of the season at 11:20 in the second period, setting the stage for Unger's 28th marker of the campaign to enable the Blues to register their third straight tie.

SeMo Cage Statistics

Scoring Leaders

Rank	Player, Team	Games	Pts.	Aver
1.	Otto Porter, Scott Central	19	558	29.4
2.	Mike Jarrett, Holcomb	14	309	22.1
3.	Jim Clay, Richland	16	351	21.9
4.	Frank Robinson, Lilbourn	20	434	21.7
5.	Ricky Frazier, Charleston	20	404	20.2
6.	Jerry Stewart, North Pemiscot	18	362	20.1
7.	Keith Campbell, Oran	16	316	19.8
8.	Grady Williford, East Prairie	14	277	19.8
9.	Robert Roundtree, Kennett	20	379	19.0
10.	Cookie Rose, Delta C-7	16	295	18.6
11.	Robert Taylor, Oran	14	254	18.1
12.	James Williams, Scott Central	19	350	17.9
12.	Ricky Thomas, Scott Central	19	350	17.9
14.	Dale Hinton, Poplar Bluff	18	319	17.7
15.	Marc Eaves, Sikeston	18	316	17.6
15.	Denis Kellick, Risco	15	264	17.6
15.	Micky Gum, Clarkton	17	299	17.6
18.	Don Treadwell, Lilbourn	20	345	17.2
19.	Steve Vabak, Advance	20	337	16.8
20.	Robert Blackman, Malden	16	267	16.7

Note:
In many cases we don't have individual scoring totals for a game so, in all fairness, we have charged a player with zero, "0" points for games when his coached failed to call.

Conference Standings

SEMO CONFERENCE	CONF	ALL
Charleston	4-0	16-4
Kennett	3-1	19-2
Dexter	2-1	15-5
Jackson	2-2	12-7
Poplar Bluff	1-2	8-10
Sikeston	1-2	13-5
Cape Central	1-2	5-11
Perryville	0-3	7-12
NEW MADRID	**CONF**	**ALL**
Lilbourn	6-0	15-5
Matthews	4-1	8-7
Portageville	3-2	9-8
Risco	3-3	7-8
New Madrid	2-4	5-11
Parma	0-4	2-11
Gideon	0-4	0-14
SCOTT-MISSISSIPPI	**CONF**	**ALL**
Scott Central	5-0	18-1
Kelly	3-0	14-6
Illmo-Scott City	2-1	9-6
Chaffee	1-1	4-10
Delta	2-3	11-7
East Prairie	1-4	4-10
Oran	0-5	5-11
DUNKLIN COUNTY	**CONF**	**ALL**
Senath-Hornersville	4-0	13-5
Malden	3-1	9-7
Clarkton	3-1	8-9
Holcomb	2-3	6-8
Campbell	1-4	1-12
Southland	0-4	0-10
BOOTHEEL	**CONF.**	**ALL**
Hayti	5-0	11-7
North Pemiscot	4-1	14-4
Delta C-7	2-2	6-10
Cooter	2-3	10-8
Caruthersville	1-3	4-11
South Pemiscot	0-5	11-8
INDEPENDENTS		**ALL**
Notre Dame		13-5
Neelyville		15-6
Twin Rivers		10-4
Advance		14-6
Richland		11-5
Bernie		12-8
Woodland		10-7
University High		8-6
Puxico		6-8
Meadow Heights		6-9
Bell City		4-9
Bloomfield		2-14
Zalma		1-13

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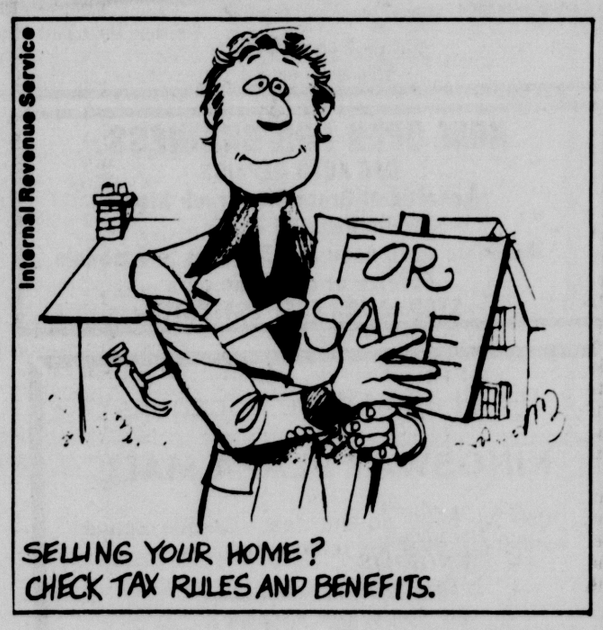

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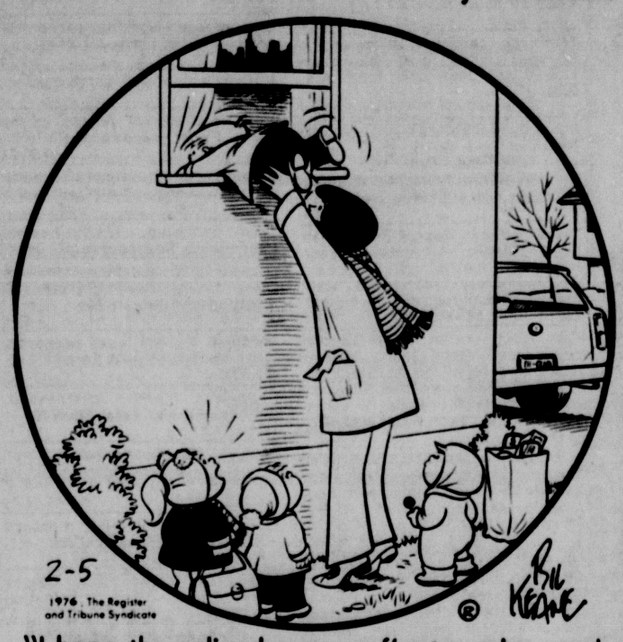

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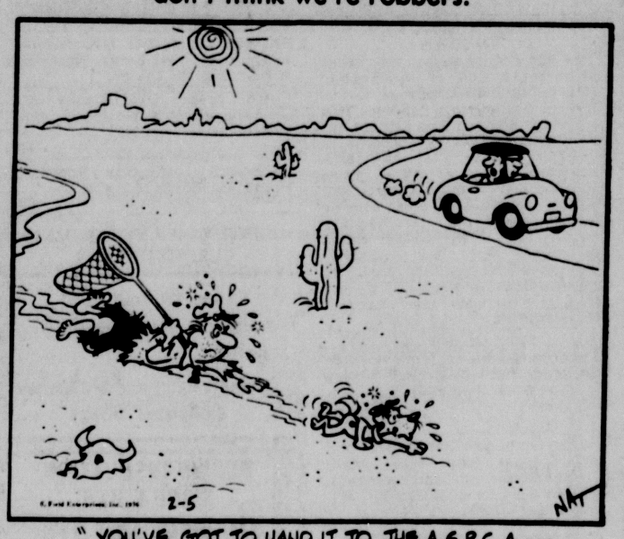

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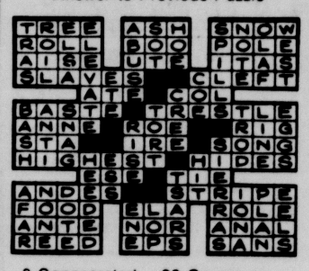

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9 Macaws
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19 Inborn
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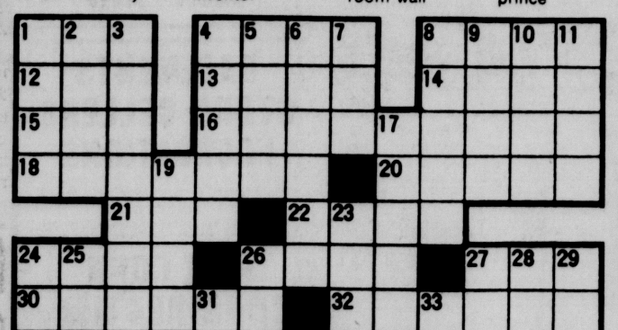

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11 Stick	41 In	71 Resolute
12 A	42 Day	72 Make
13 Could	43 Change	73 You
14 The	44 Guns	74 Friends
15 Sex	45 Get	75 Enjoyable
16 That	46 Into	76 Times
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18 For	48 Warmly	78 Circles
19 Could	49 Persons	79 And
20 Blue-	50 Or	80 Or
21 For	51 Don't	81 Any
22 To	52 An	82 Unfortunate
23 Tendency	53 For	83 Law
24 Be	54 May	84 Fine
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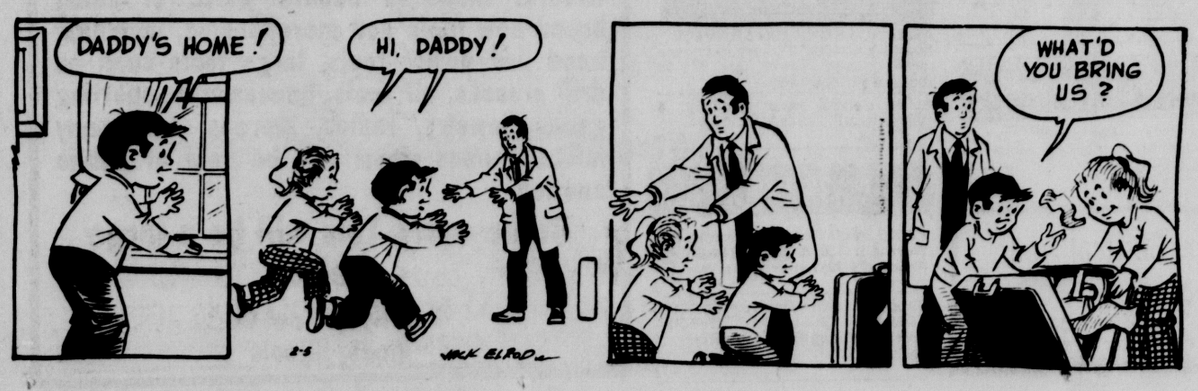

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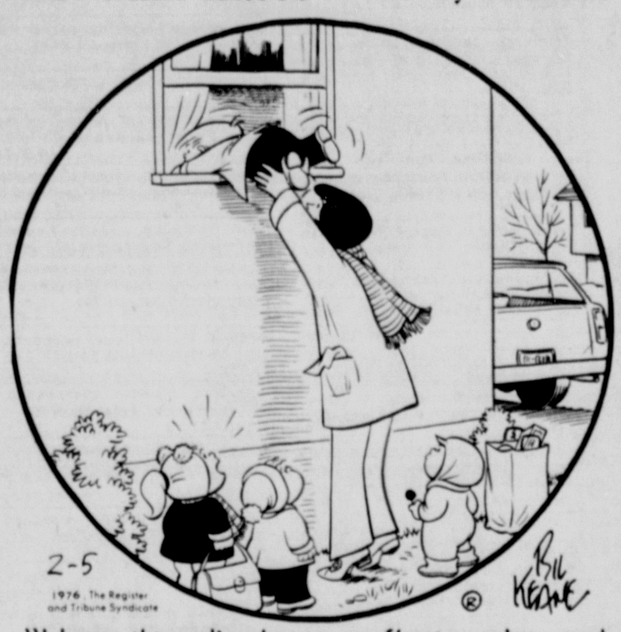

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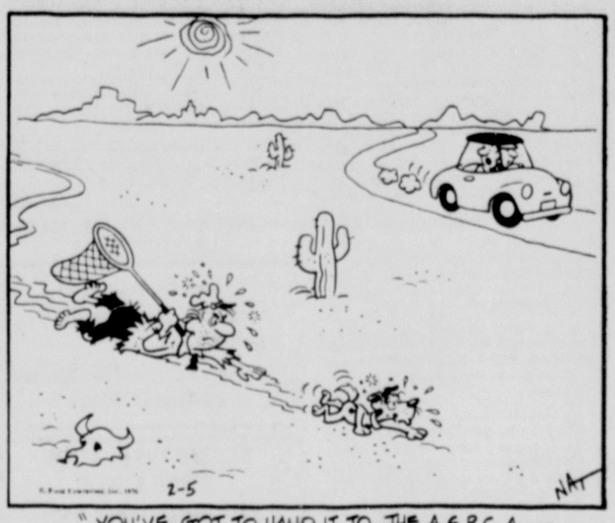

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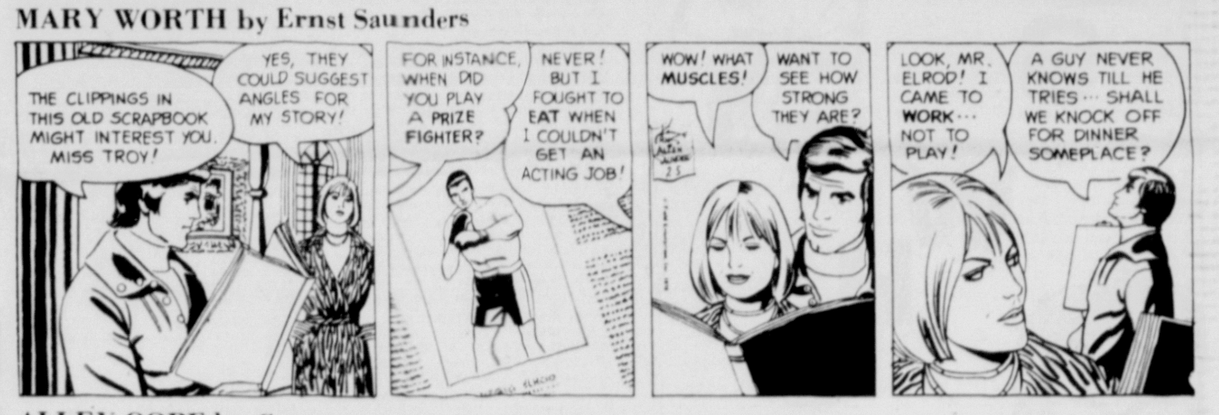

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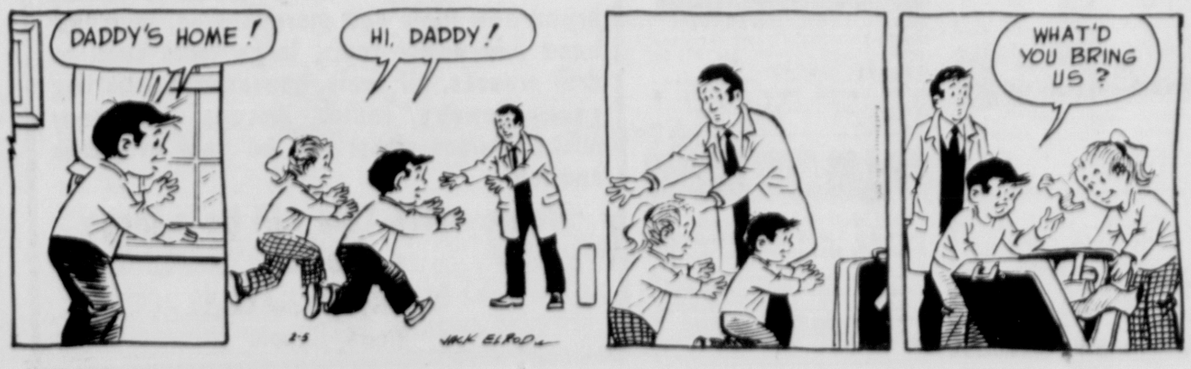

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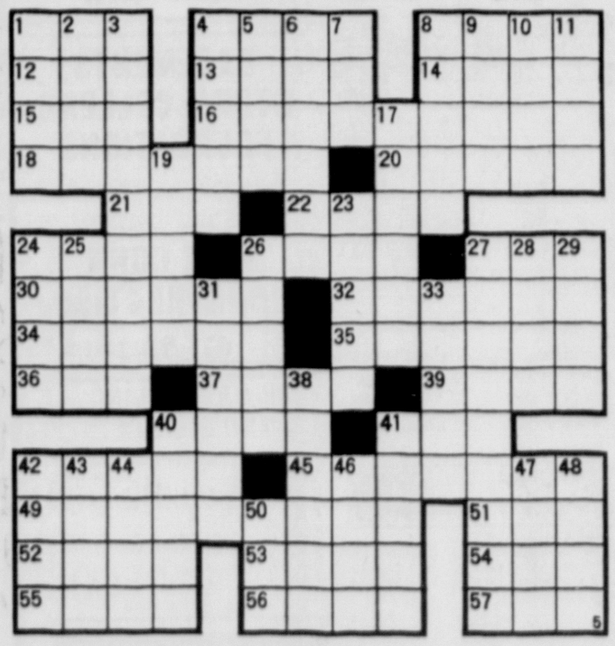

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11-22-75

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Forklifts for sale or rent. 471-5812, Mike Eakins.

Victorian couch and chair for sale. 471-6727.
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13. Real Estate

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20'x40' swimming pools. $5995.00 Complete with 6' patio. Polynesian Pools 217 South Main 471-7472.
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2-12-76

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1-29-76

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GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY

14. Situations Wanted

Mr. Gary or Judi Willilams to please write to Mr. and Mrs. Albert Woodworth Ferdinand, Idaho and please give us their address.
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16. Wanted To Buy

Used piano. Call 624-2627 after 5 p.m.
2-12-76

A late model air conditioned no till corn planter either 4 row or 6 row on 30" rows. Call 618-687-1645 between 6 and 9 p.m.

18. Help Wanted

WANTED:
Older woman to stay with 3 people from 3:00 pm to 8:00 am
Small amount of cooking required.
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For more information

Assistant farm manager. Experience in cotton, milom, wheat, and soy bean farming. Have knowledge of chemicals. House furnished with good salary. Send resume and qualifications to G. M. Lawrence & Co. Route 1, Essex, Mo. 63846.
2-12-76

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Part time. Permanent local work checking serialized inventory at retail stores for major manufacturers. No investment. Invenchek, Box 76680, Atlanta, GA 30328.

Experienced waitress only over 21. Apply in person. Holiday Inn Sikeston, Mo.
2-8-76

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2-9-76

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Child's electric organ. $15.00 471-1513. 2-8-76

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12. Misc. For Sale

Maternity clothes. Excellent condition. Size 14 and 16. 471-7791. 2-7-76

Economy studs 67 cents each. ABE Home Center 705 Davis Blvd. 471-3365. 2-7-76

Household sale. Harvest gold, G.E. portable dishwasher. Avacado electric range. Like new. 2 window unit air conditioners. Some small appliances and other items. 802 Sikes. Sat. 8 1 a.m. - 1 p.m. 2-6-76

White Magic Chef range. Good condition, and Clean. $75.00 471-3411

Handmade Grandfather clocks. Have some ready to go now. 624-2120.

Star craft camper. Sleeps 8. 649-2104 2-10-76

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Forklifts for sale or rent. 471-5812, Mike Eakins.

Victorian couch and chair for sale. 471-6727. 2-5-76

13. Real Estate

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2 bedroom carpeted. Utility room. Garage, Central heat. Pay owner $300.00 and take over loan. 471-6608. 2-12-76

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200 acre farm Approximately 160 acres tillable. All under recent reconditioned fences. Approximately 140 acres well limed on black-top road. Excellent cattle farm. 502-665-5632.

125 Acre farm. All under cultivation. Row crop. Highly limed and fertilized on Blacktop road. 1¼ miles from town, 50 acres welled and well drained. 50 acres bottom. 75 acres on Hill. Call 1-502-665-5643. 2-5-76

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HOUSE FOR LEASE: (With option to buy) This 3 bedroom brick home features a living room, dining room, kitchen, bath and single carport w-storage room. Also includes brick patio and partial rail fence. $175.00 monthly w-$100 deposit. 312 S. Scott St. Call 471-7195 (day) or 471-8298 (night).

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For Sale by Owner
3 bedroom home with utility room Central heat Garden space Storage-work shop building $9,000. 667-5385. 1-29-76

5 bedroom home. Central heat and air. 1 block from Plaza Mall. Finished basement and carpeting. 2 baths. Call for appointment. 471-9148 and 471-7228. TF

GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY

14. Situations Wanted

Mr. Gary or Judi Willilams to please write to Mr. and Mrs. Albert Woodworth Ferdinand, Idaho and please give us their address. 2-7-76

16. Wanted To Buy

Used piano. Call 624-2627 after 5 p.m. 2-12-76

A late model air conditioned no till corn planter either 4 row or 6 row on 30" rows. Call 618-687-1645 between 6 and 9 p.m.

18. Help Wanted

WANTED:
Older woman to stay with 3 people from 3:00 pm to 8:00 am
Small amount of cooking required.
Call 471-1886
For more information

Assistant farm manager. Experience in cotton, milom, wheat, and soy bean farming. Have knowledge of chemicals. House furnished with good salary. Send resume and qualifications to G. M. Lawrence & Co. Route 1, Essex, Mo. 63846. 2-12-76

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Part time. Permanent local work checking serialized inventory at retail stores for major manufacturers. No investment. Invenchek, Box 76680, Atlanta, GA 30328.

Experienced waitress only over 21. Apply in person. Holiday Inn Sikeston, Mo. 2-8-76

Help Wanted: Pleasant atmosphere. Good working conditions. Call 471-3775 between 2 p.m. and 10 p.m. 2-6-76

Wanted: Farm worker for year round work in cattle and grain farming operation. In the southern Ill. area. House furnished. Call 618-687-1645 between 6 p.m. and 9 p.m. 2-5-76

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To buy or sell. Call Ann Brown, 472-0492

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20. Lost & Found

FOUND
Pair of plastic rim glasses in driveway 101 Winter Dr. Owner may claim by calling 471-8022 and identifying item. 2-5-76

Lost
Male Irish Setter. 1-7-76. Lost Parma Mo. Reward. Call 1-314-381-3789 collect. 2-5-76

24. Special Services

Carpentry work. All types. Remodeling -- roofing room additions. 472-0203. 2-12-76

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Custom wood working, carpentry, painting. Fred Story. 471-9430. 3-9-76

Fill dirt and top soil. Ditch digging. 748-5757.

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Garden plowing general tractor work. Bushhogging dirt work. 471-1888. 471-4990

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Bookkeeping quarterly and income taxes. Jolene Tyrone 409 Edmundson Sikeston, Mo. 2-8-76

Personal income taxes prepared. 1040A form $5.00. 1040 Form $10.00. 472-0017

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"Dog Grooming"
Reasonable
471-4630 11-21-75

Remodeling, roofing, masonry work. Terry Construction. 471-1477.

Blue Cross through Scott County Farm Bureau. For information call 545-3520.

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2 AKC Scott Terriers 7 weeks old, Wormed. $50 & $60 Portageville. Phone 379-5051 after 3:30 p.m. 2-7-76

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Reasonable.
471-4630 10-20-75

AKC white German Shepherd puppies. 8 weeks old. Located at S.M. Campbell Dorena, Mo. 649-5070. 1-27-76

GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY

27. Feed & Seed

For Sale Good Fescue hay. $1.25 per bale. 471-3169 1-14-76

28. New & Used Cars

1972 Ford pickup. Good condition. Low mileage. 471-6495 after 3 p.m. 2-7-76

1974 Ford Courier pickup. 1 owner. 10,800 actual miles. Call 471-6052. 2-10-76

1973 Plymouth Valliant. Some body damage. Make offer. 471-8767. 2-7-76

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1970 International Loan Star 1600
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262-3950 262-3273 Night

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72 International Scout 2 wheel drive 545-3460.

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1973 Impala Low mileage. Call after 1 p.m. 683-6656. 2-6-76

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For Sale: 1972 Electra 225. Loaded with extras. $1950.00 471-5140 2-5-76

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1972 Ford ¾ ton pickup. V-8. May be seen at Spanish 66 Station. North Main Sikeston. 1-28-76

1971 Chevrolet pickup. V-8 automatic. 10-15" floatation tires. $1175. 649-2569. 1-8-76

1972 Galaxie 500. A.T. P.S. P.B. Air. 53,000 miles. $1550.00 471-7533. 1-6-76

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1965 Chevy bus. 36 passenger. 1963 Ford bus. 60 passenger. First Nazarene Church. N. Highway 61 471-4403 471-5751. TF

30. Farm Supplies

Grainbins, augers, anything in grain handleing, storing or drying. Try our prices, we'll save you real money. P.S. check our steel buildings. We can supply any size flat roof, pitched roof, slant wall, straight wall, packaged 2-car garages at real discounts. Francis Co. 11 miles south of Poplar Bluff on 67 Highway. 989-6434 or 785-6692.

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B-Farmall tractor and equipment. Good condition. Call 262-3094 after 4 p.m. 1-3-76

34. Mobile Homes

Unfurnished 1974 All Electric 3 bedoom 12x64 Call 471-6424. 2-6-76

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Time 6:30 pm
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Several thousand dollars worth of name brand new tools and merchandise, including hand and power tools, large tools such as drill presses, air tools, housewares, sporting goods, jewelry, radios, stereos, and many miscellaneous items will be sold at public auction.
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REAL ESTATE AND FARM EQUIPMENT
MONDAY, FEB. 9, 1976 10:AM

RAIN OR SHINE
I AM QUITTING FARMING AND GIVING UP ALL LEASED LAND AND WILL SELL AT PUBLIC AUCTIOIN TO THE HIGHEST BIDDER THE FOLLOWING PERSONAL PROPERTY.

110 ACRES HOME PLACE FARM AND ALL OF MY FARM MACHINERY

LOCATION:

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HAROLD MERICK, JR.
2 MILES NORTH OF BLOOMFIELD, MO. ON HIGHWAY 25
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1-IHC 1066 diesel tractor w/weights, LPTO, W.F. and low hours
1-IHC 806 diesel tractor w/weights & W.F.
1-IHC 460 L.P. gas tractor LPTO
1-IHC 504 gas tractor, row crop, LPTO
1-IHC 200 gas tractor
1-Case 730 tractor LP gas W.F. LPTO
1-Ford 841 tractor W.F. gas

COMBINES & PICKERS
1-IHC 303 combine w/16 ft header, love bar, factory cab & air conditioner pick up reel
2-IHC 3 bottom middle buster, front mount for 460 tractors
1-John Deere tool bar middle buster can be used as 4 or 5 bottom
1-Forrest City do-all
1-Burch 4 row rotary hoe
1-Ames 5 ft. stalk shredder, 3 pt hitch
1-Ford 501 mower, 7 ft. blade, 3 pt hitch
1-6 ft. bush hog stalk shredder
1-Grador blade, 3 pt hitch
1-Tractor post hole digger, 3 pt hitch
1-Brady 14 ft. stalk shredder pull type PTO
1-Ford middle buster, 3 pt hitch
1-Air compresser

OTHER TOOLS
2-Pick up gas tanks
1-IHC No. 10 hay baler thrower
1-Electric welder 250 amps
1-Pick up tool box
3-Self hog feeders
3-Rolls of new barb wire
3-rolls of new red brand 39 inch woven wire
1-500 gal LP gas tank
1-Lot of black walnut new lumber
1-Lot of other lumber
1-Lot of other lumber

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150 bales of wheat hay, wheat was never threshed.
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2,000 bales of good fescue hay

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1-1962 Chev. 2 ton truck w/2 speed axle, grain bed, and hoist
1-1953 Ford 2 ton truck w/2 speed axle, grain bed
2-Cotton trailers w/steel 24 ft beds
3-Trailers w/grain beds
1-4 wheel trailer w/1000 gal LP tank
1-1967 Jeep 4 wheel drive
1-1962 Chev. car, 4 door-runs good

CULTIVATORS-PLANTERS & DRILLS
1-IHC 6 row cult, 3 pt hitch, spring shank, wide row
1-IHC 6 row planter axle mounted
1-John Deere 14 hole grain drill, double disc, rope trip
1-Bradly field cult. 15 ft. pull type

DISC & PLOWS
1-John Deere B.W. 19½ ft wing disc, dual wheels
1-Case 14 ft. wheel type disc
1-IHC 10 ft disc, 3 pt and 2 pt rear mount
1-Case 3 bottom 14 in. plow, 3 pt hitch
1-Oliver 3 bottom 16 in plow, 3 pt hitch

IRRIGATION EQUIPMENT
1-Irrigation 8 in. pump PTO drive
¼ mile of 10 in. gated pipe & fittings
1-Irrigation pipe trailer
1-Hay Roth 44 ft. 6 in. grain auger, PTO drive, transport wheels.
1-4 in. auger w/electric motor

FARM
2ND ACRE FARM
Practically all of this farm is in cultivation. It has 30 acres of highly productive flat bottom land, well drained. 80 acres of rolling land that now has 10 acres of wheat and 70 acres of good permanent pasture. All pasture & well fenced with outside and cross fences.
The front part of the farm and some of the lots have over ½ mile of treated wood board fence.
This farm is one of the most productive and has some of the best improvements of any farm it's size in this area.
This farm is so well improved with fencing, building, water pump and water lines, & seeded pastures that it is ready for complete operation and good living at the time you take possession.

OTHER BUILDINGS
Also going with farm is an almost new steel 16x12 storage building mounted on a concrete floor and foundation.
1-Fruit and vegetable storage house frost proof with side sheds
1-Shop and tool shed with storage for grease, chemicals, grease guns, and so forth
1-Large stock barn with 2 grain cribs with concrete floors, large hay loft, and large side sheds
There are good corral fences and livestock loading chutes around the barn, plenty of well fenced lots for handling livestock.

IMPROVEMENTS HOME
This farm has a beautiful 3 bedroom house with large living room, dining room, and kitchen. The kitchen has a build in stove, oven, and dishwasher. The living room has built in bookcases on one end.
All rooms have almost new wall to wall carpet except dining room and kitchen and they have good and beautiful inlaid linoleum. The house also has a nice size utility room adjacent to the kitchen.
This home has 2 complete bathrooms. Itis heated with a gas wall furnace and also going with home is 1 large air conditioner unit that cools the home. You step out of the kitchen of this home into a carport with concrete floor. There are plenty of shrubs and shade trees in yard and surroundings. There are 4 young cherry trees that bared this year, 1 big blue plum tree, a small grape arbor, and a small strawberry patch. The pump that furnishes water to the home is excellent for drinking or any use. Also going with this home is a 500 gallon LP gas tank that furnishes gas for the home. Hot & cold running water. Also electricity and telephone.

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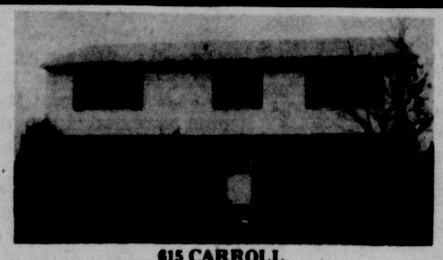
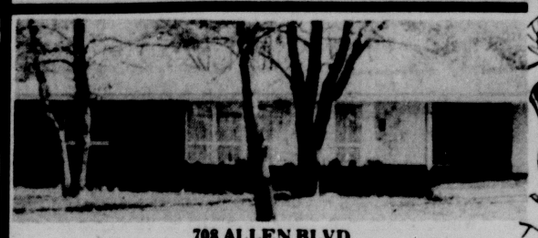


615 CARROLL

WHAT A LOTTA HOUSE! 2- story custom built, 2200 sq. ft. Colonial style, brick front and white frame, large living room, family room and kitchen combination with builtins and eating bar, 1 bedroom full bath, vanity, spacious storage space, upstairs balcony, 3 bedrooms, large full bath. Also has full basement, 2 car carport, central air and heat. In perfect condition inside and out A MUST FOR A GROWING FAMILY.

829 RUTH STREET

DO YOU HAVE AN EXPANDING FAMILY AND NEED MORE ROOM? – See this 8 room ranch style stucco home, 4 BR, 2½ baths, combination LR-DR, large kitchen, family room with fireplace, partial basement with fireplace, 2 central heat and air systems, 2 car carport, fenced in yard and patio.



708 ALLEN BLVD.
A HOME WITH THAT CARED FOR FEELING

Just Listed in ideal neighborhood, good quality of construction, 3 bedroom, brick ranch- style, 1 full bath, large living room- dining room combination, complete kitchen with all built-ins, eating area, utility room equipped with lots of storage, carport plus room for work shop, fenced-in concrete patio, lot 80' x 125' lots of extras, custom made new carpet, wallpaper. Very clean and unusual decorating ideas. DELAY MAY MEAN DISAPPOINTMENT — SO DON'T MISS THIS HARD TO BELIEVE BUY

202 JAYCEE

SMART & THRIFTY - See this 2 bedroom brick home with lots of elbow room on corner lot, large living room, kitchen with lots of storage, baths with shower. W-D hookup, storm windows, fenced in backyard, storage shed. PRICED IN THE TEENS FOR THOSE TIRED OF PAYING RENT.

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217 RUTH
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119 WINTER DRIVE
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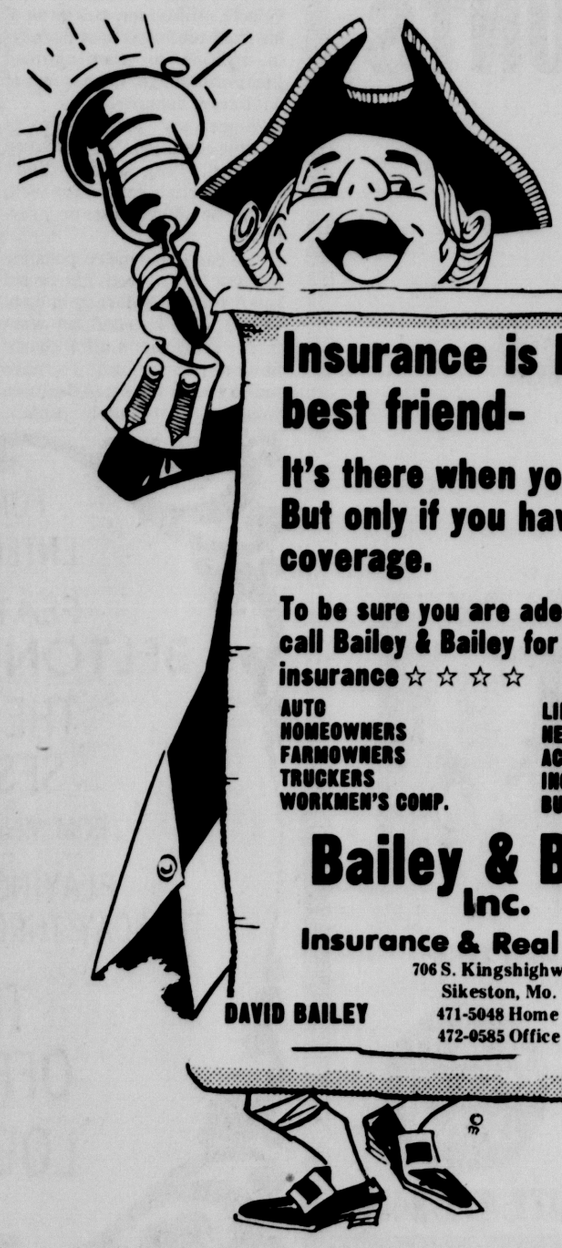

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1-INC 504 gas tractor, row crop, LPTO
1-INC 200 gas tractor
1-Case 730 tractor LP gas W.F. LPTO
1-Ford 841 tractor W.F. gas

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1-INC 503 combine w/16 ft header, love bar, factory cab & air conditioner pick up reel
2-INC 3 bottom middle buster, front mount for 450 tractors
1-John Deere tool bar middle buster can be used as 4 or 5 bottom
1-Forrest City do-all
1-Burch 4 row rotary hoe
1-Amco 5 ft. stalk shredder, 3 pt hitch
1-Ford 501 mower, 7 ft. blade, 3 pt hitch
1-6 ft. bush hog stalk shredder
1-Grader blade, 3 pt hitch
1-Tractor post hole digger, 3 pt hitch
1-Brady 14 ft. stalk shredder pull type PTO
1-Ford middle buster, 3 pt hitch
1-Air compressor

OTHER TOOLS
2-Pick up gas tanks
1-INC No. 10 hay baler thrower
1-Electric welder 250 amps
1-Pick up tool box
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3-rolls of new red brand 39 inch woven wire
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1-4 wheel trailer w/1000 gal LP tank
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1-INC 6 row cult, 3 pt hitch, spring shank, wide row
1-INC 6 row planter axle mounted
1-John Deere 14 hole grain drill, double disc, rope trip
1-Bradly field cult. 15 ft. pull type

DISC & PLOWS
1-John Deere B.W. 19½ ft wing disc, dual wheels
1-Case 14 ft. wheel type disc
1-INC 10 ft disc, 3 pt and 2 pt rear mount
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1-Oliver 3 bottom 16 in plow, 3 pt hitch

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1-Irrigation 8 in. pump PTO drive
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OTHEER BUILDINGS
Also going with farm is an almost new steel 10x12 storage building mounted on a concrete floor and foundation.
1-Fruit and vegetable storage house frost proof with side sheds
1-Shop and tool shed with storage for grease, chemicals, grease guns, and so forth
1-Large stock barn with 2 grain cribs with concrete floors, large hay loft, and large side sheds
There are good corral fences and livestock loading chutes around the barn, plenty of well fenced lots for handling livestock.

IMPROVEMENTS HOME
This farm has a beautiful 3 bedroom house with large living room, dining room, and kitchen. The kitchen has a build in stove, oven, and dishwasher. The living room has built in bookcases on one end.
All rooms have almost new wall to wall carpet except dining room and kitchen and they have good and beautiful inlaid linoleum. The house also has a nice size utility room adjacent to the kitchen.
This home has 2 complete bathrooms. Itis heated with a gas wall furnace and also going with home is 1 large air conditioner unit that cools the home. You step out of the kitchen ofthis home into a carport with concrete floor. There are plenty of shrubs and shade trees in yard and surroundings. There are 4 young cherry trees that bared this year, 1 big blue plum tree, a small grape arbor, and a small strawberry patch. The pump that furnishes water to the home is excellent for drinking or any use. Also going with this home is a 500 gallon LP gas tank that furnishes gas for the home. Hot & cold running water. Also electricity and telephone.

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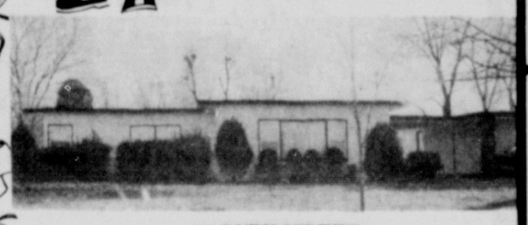

829 RUTH STREET

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202 JAYCEE

SMART & THRIFTY - See this 2 bedroom brick home with lots of elbow room on corner lot, large living room, kitchen with lots of storage, baths with shower. W-D hookup, storm windows, fenced in backyard, storage shed. PRICED IN THE TEENS FOR THOSE TIRED OF PAYING RENT.

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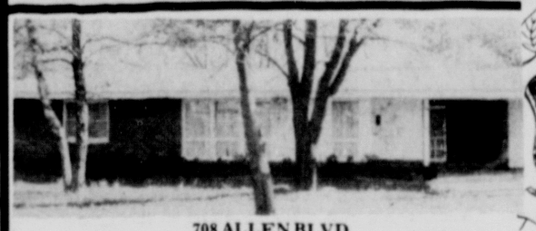

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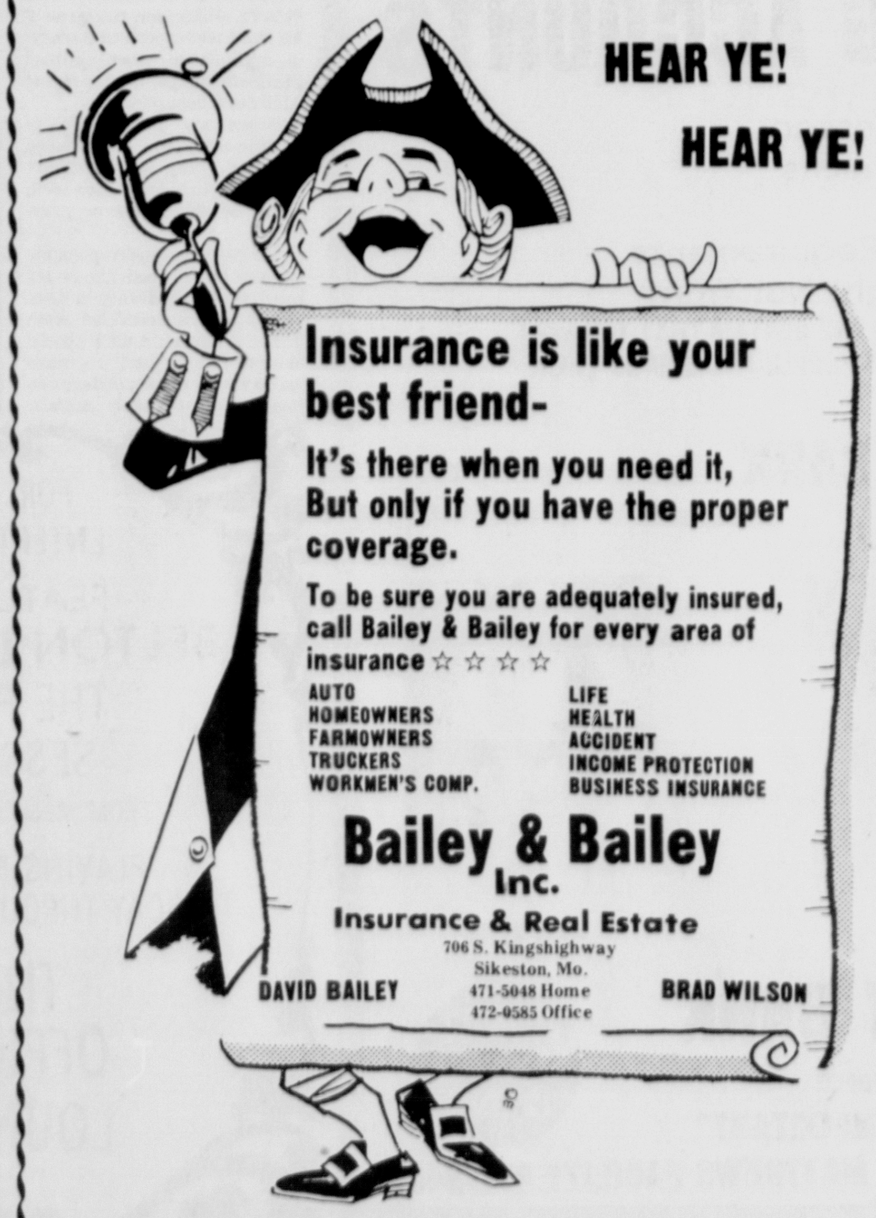

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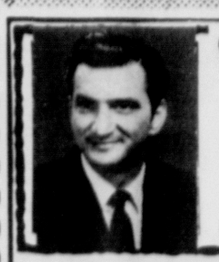

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Dr. Lamb

Changes occur in ECG

By Lawrence E. Lamb, M.D.

DEAR DR. LAMB — My husband is 33 years old and very active. He works as an athletic director and plays basketball three times a week. He also referees basketball and baseball. This has been his schedule for nearly three years.

Recently he had an electrocardiogram as part of a medical examination. The doctor said the ECG showed results of a mild cardiac problem. He was sent to a specialist in internal medicine and he said the same thing. He suggested that bad teeth could be the reason for the strange pattern.

My husband had the bad teeth removed and another ECG was done. It was the same.

My husband had asthma and rheumatic fever when he was a child. Last year an ECG was performed and the doctor said his heart was O.K. At this point we are at a standstill. Surely a man couldn't be as active as my husband if he'd had an attack.

DEAR READER — I can't tell you what your husband's record shows without seeing it. But I can tell you after having seen records on over 122,000 men in the Air Force flying population that individuals with no significant heart disease can have records that look like almost every serious pattern commonly attributed to heart disease. You have to correlate the ECG with the patient's history and findings.

When a person has no symptoms at all and is physically active, you must be careful in concluding that seemingly abnormal patterns mean anything. Many well conditioned athletes have changes (particularly T wave changes for those interested in terminology) that mimic coronary artery disease. Individuals who have interpreted lots of records in healthy people become aware of this.

I do not wish to leave you with the impression that I think your husband has no problem. You will be surprised to know that people with heart disease can do lots of things, including quite a bit of physical exertion without having any symptoms. Athletes with diseased heart valves from rheumatic fever have won major athletic events. A large number of men who have had heart attacks and have been rehabilitated have even competed in the Boston marathon.

Those who want information on what you can expect after a heart attack can send 50 cents for The Health Letter, Number 2-12, After the Heart Attack. Enclose a long, stamped, self-addressed envelope for mailing. Address your letter to me in care of this newspaper, P.O. Box 1551, Radio City Station, New York, NY 10019.

The old idea that if you have heart disease you can't do anything is an idea of the past. True, some people have enough damage to their heart that they do well to be able to accomplish the normal living tasks but this is by no means the rule. The problem is identifying who can be trained to do more and who needs to restrict activity.

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By Lawrence E. Lamb, M.D.

DEAR DR. LAMB — My husband is 33 years old and very active. He works as an athletic director and plays basketball three times a week. He also referees basketball and baseball. This has been his schedule for nearly three years.

Recently he had an electrocardiogram as part of a medical examination. The doctor said the ECG showed results of a mild cardiac problem. He was sent to a specialist in internal medicine and he said the same thing. He suggested that bad teeth could be the reason for the strange pattern.

My husband had the bad teeth removed and another ECG was done. It was the same.

My husband had asthma and rheumatic fever when he was a child. Last year an ECG was performed and the doctor said his heart was O.K. At this point we are at a standstill. Surely a man couldn't be as active as my husband if he'd had an attack.

DEAR READER — I can't tell you what your husband's record shows without seeing it. But I can tell you after having seen records on over 122,000 men in the Air Force flying population that individuals with no significant heart disease can have records that look like almost every serious pattern commonly attributed to heart disease. You have to correlate the ECG with the patient's history and findings.

When a person has no symptoms at all and is physically active, you must be careful in concluding that seemingly abnormal patterns mean anything. Many well conditioned athletes have changes (particularly T wave changes for those interested in terminology) that mimic coronary artery disease. Individuals who have interpreted lots of records in healthy people become aware of this.

I do not wish to leave you with the impression that I think your husband has no problem. You will be surprised to know that people with heart disease can do lots of things, including quite a bit of physical exertion without having any symptoms. Athletes with diseased heart valves from rheumatic fever have won major athletic events. A large number of men who have had heart attacks and have been rehabilitated have even competed in the Boston marathon.

Those who want information on what you can expect after a heart attack can send 50 cents for The Health Letter, Number 2-12, After the Heart Attack. Enclose a long, stamped, self-addressed envelope for mailing. Address your letter to me in care of this newspaper, P.O. Box 1551, Radio City Station, New York, NY 10019.

The old idea that if you have heart disease you can't do anything is an idea of the past. True, some people have enough damage to their heart that they do well to be able to accomplish the normal living tasks but this is by no means the rule. The problem is identifying who can be trained to do more and who needs to restrict activity.

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